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BRIAND CHOSEN FOR PREMIER

Prominent Socialist Leader Entrusted With French Government

MAY RECONSTRUCT OLD CABINET

Rapid Rise of Radical Politician Typical of Modern France

Paris, July 22.—Arisande Briand, brilliant scholar, orator and avowed socialist and architect of the final chapters of the separation law, was summoned to the Elysee Palace tonight and asked to reconstruct the Clemenceau cabinet.

M. Briand promised his answer tomorrow. The shifting of some of the portfolios and the retention of all the ministers except M. Picquart, Picard and Millis-Lacroiz, ministers of war, the navy and colonies respectively, is now anticipated. Considerable opposition to M. Briand has developed, especially among the more conservative senators and radicals, who dominate the party of Republican majority, on the ground that the selection of a socialist at the head of the government would be equivalent to proclaiming the bankruptcy of the radical side.

Predictions are freely made in some quarters tonight that M. Briand would fail in his efforts to form a ministry which can command a majority. Should Briand succeed in forming a cabinet, as his friends believe he will, the tendency of the new ministry will be distinctly more socialistic than those of the outgoing cabinet. M. Briand is opposed to the dissolution of the revolutionary general faction of labor, which Clemenceau favored, and Barthouz, minister of public works and E. Jand Viviani, minister of labor, have championed socialistic doctrines.

The Briand cabinet would be exceedingly offensive to the money classes. The conservatives, however, believe that the Briand cabinet would be short-lived.

Arisande Briand, who will probably be the next prime minister of France, is 47 years old. He has risen very rapidly from the ranks of politicians to a foremost place in the government, being elevated in 1904 to the post of minister of public works and instruction. During the church and state troubles he appears to have acted with firmness and moderation. Later he was appointed minister of justice, retaining the portfolio of worship.

STORM'S HAVOC

Eighteen Lives Lost and Much Property Destroyed by Great Gale in Texas

Galveston, Texas, July 22.—As if from the bottom of the sea, five of the storm victims from the Tarpon fishing pier were picked up alive late today in the upper Galveston Bay. They were found clinging to pieces of drift wood, and were in an exhausted condition. With the report of the rescue of these five men, hope for the safety of the other five persons who it was believed lost their lives in the storm is much stronger, although it is feared that the others may have succumbed to the ordeal of 24 hours in the water.

Houston, Texas, July 22.—The hurricane which swept the Texas Gulf coast yesterday caused the sacrifice of 18 human lives, fatal injuries of four other persons, and serious wounding of sixteen, according to the full details of results of the storm, which began to arrive here tonight. Small towns were devastated. The damage to property will amount to hundreds of thousands of dollars.

CONGRESS INDIFFERENT

No Financial Encouragement for Enthusiastic Aerial Navigators

Washington, D.C., July 22.—The United States is not likely to make great progress in aerial navigation during the next fiscal year as a result of any encouragement offered inventors by Congress. The spirit of economy in governmental affairs is now so pronounced as to discourage even the asking for funds by the war department for the purchase of any class of airships. The board of ordnance of the army now has $45,000 for airship experiments, $25,000 to be paid to the Wright brothers if they succeed in making a flight of ten miles at the rate of thirty-six miles an hour carrying one person besides the operator, and $20,000 to A. M. Hering if he makes practically similar requirements. This will be the end of experimental work unless some interest in aerial navigation is shown by Congress in the form of a liberal appropriation.

A NEW TRUNK MYSTERY

Body of an Armenian Gives Lynn Police a Puzzle

Lynn, Mass., July 22.—The body of a man packed in a trunk was found by a chambermaid in a Liberty street rooming house today. The body had a bullet wound over the heart. The face was mutilated, but the body has been partially identified as that of an Armenian, known as Frank Jones, who had rented the room about a month ago. The proprietor of the house and the police are completely mystified by the discovery.

ON G. T. PACIFIC

Passenger Train Service Between Winnipeg and Edmonton to Be Started

Winnipeg, July 22.—Plans are fast maturing for the commencement of the Grand Trunk Pacific service of passenger trains from Winnipeg to Edmonton, and it is announced that the service will start on August 15. The latest word from the west is to the effect that the steel will reach the Pembina river by the end of September, and the line will be open this fall right through to that point, carrying passengers 70 miles west of Edmonton.

E. J. Chamberlain, vice-president and general manager, left last evening for Fort William and the east, and on his return will make a trip of inspection over the work at Prince Rupert.

MISSIONARY STEAMER SUNK

"Udal" Goes to the Bottom and Captain and Pilot Have Close Call

Vancouver, July 22.—The Methodist missionary boat Udal, returning to Prince Rupert from Portland Canal, struck a rock and foundered. Captain Oliver and Rev. Mr. Webber had a close call and escaped in a row-boat. The Udal sank in 100 feet of water. Efforts will be made to raise her. The vessel was insured and valued at $5,000.

Grand Trunk President.

Liverpool, July 22.—Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, president of the Grand Trunk Railway, sailed today for Canada and will go over the completed Grand Trunk Pacific from Port Arthur to Edmonton before he returns to England.

OMINENT ELKS VISITING CITY

Hundred Members of Order Arrive From Los Angeles Convention

One hundred Elks, members of one of the most influential fraternal societies in the United States, arrived in the city last evening on a tour, which when completed, will have lasted 32 days and extended over 14,000 miles. Among the visitors are many prominent Americans, the majority of them being members of Yonkers lodge, B. P. O. E. No. 707, which has just concluded its annual convention at Los Angeles.

The Elks, a fraternal order confined to the United States has 1,200 lodges and a total membership of 500,000. Its motto is: "We write our brother's failings in the sand; His virtues are engraven on the marble tablets of love and memory."

The mother lodge of the Elks is in New York city and in the personnel of the party which arrived here yesterday was John J. Donohue a prominent member of this lodge, a boss of the Tammany ring, and harbor master of New York. Another interesting New Yorker was Capt. Charles Scheubner, a pilot who has often guided the big Cunard leviathans Lusitania and Mauretania, as well as other great Atlantic liners from outside Sandyhook to their berths at the New York wharves.

The most prominent among the other visitors are: John T. Werner, of Pottsville, Pa., a past exalted ruler of the Elks; T. Morris, of Yonkers, N.Y., a past exalted ruler; T. Curtis Gaynor, of Rochester, N. Y., a past exalted ruler; John McMahon, of Meridan, Conn., a past exalted ruler; C. A. Noble, of Lyons, N. Y., a past exalted ruler; J. C. Sheehy, of Gettysburg, Penn., a past exalted ruler; W. B. Henderson, of Troy, N. Y., a past exalted ruler; H. Ball, of Mahoney City, Penn., president of the First National Bank; Charles Frank, of Syracuse, N. Y., president of the Zett Brewing Co.; W. B. Zimmer, of Rochester, N. Y., assistant district attorney of Monroe County, and J. J. Rehill of White Plains, N. Y., editor of the White Plains Argus.

The party which is traveling by special train throughout their whole itinerary has already visited the following places: Chicago, Omaha, Denver, Colorado Springs, Manitou, Salt Lake City, Yellowstone Park, San Bernardine, Riverside, Los Angeles, Pasadena, Santa Barbara, Santa Monica, Paso Robles, Del Monte, San Jose, Santa Cruz, Shasta Springs, Portland and Seattle.

From Victoria they will go to Vancouver and passing from there through the Rockies they will stop over at Glacier and Banff and go thence to St. Paul and Minneapolis and so homewards.

At the different places that they touched they have been the recipients of the utmost hospitalities by the brother lodges. Los Angeles, where the convention was held, was profusely decorated, electric floats and arches being features, the entertainment costing several hundred thousand dollars.

The Yonkers convention next year will be held at Detroit; Boston will probably be selected for 1911, while both New York and Portland, Ore., are striving to have the convention held in their respective cities in 1912.

The visiting Elks will leave today by the afternoon boat for Vancouver. They express themselves as highly pleased with their visit to Victoria and are loud in their praises of the palatial character of the Empress hotel where a number are staying during their visit.

J. Pierpont Morgan

New York, July 22.—J. P. Morgan, who arrived from Europe last night, visited his offices this afternoon, but denied himself to all interviewers. In reply to all inquiries as to the probable issuance of a statement relative to U. S. Steel Corporation affairs Mr. Morgan sent out word that no such statement would be issued.

EXPLORING FOR ROUTE

Canadian Northern Party Now at Summit at Yellowhead

OTHERS WORK DOWN ALONG FRASER

Nearly One Hundred Men Engaged in Survey for C. N. Railway

Vancouver, July 22.—Word was received in the city today that the Hannington survey party, one of four which the Canadian Northern Railway company has actively at work on its line to the coast, has reached the summit close to the Yellowhead pass. This summit was its objective point when it made its recent start from Kamloops. They have endured many hardships. Many of the rivers in this district are still in flood, while the available trails are few.

There are thirty men in this party, the largest of all the four. It will from the summit now begin its real work of mapping the route, meeting a little later the second party, now on the North Thompson, and working northward with its surveys.

Of the other two parties, the one which has been working down from Lytton on the east bank of the Fraser river has reached Keefer, while the other, which has been working up from Yale on the same side of the stream, is nearing North Bend. October will likely see the work completed. There are nearly a hundred men in the four parties.

OTTAWA ROBBERS

Two Men in Custody Who Are Thought to Have Rifled Jewelry Store

Ottawa, July 22.—The diamond robbers arrested for the sensational Sparks street thefts arrived in Ottawa in charge of detectives this evening, and were immediately transferred to the cells. The accused, it is learned, have practically admitted their connection with the theft, but had absolutely nothing to say when questioned at the station. The prisoner giving his name as A. O. Woods, of Kingston, is a slight, dark-haired young man of about 30 years of age. His companion, who calls himself F. W. Conrad, of Ottawa, is taller than the other prisoner. Both are clean shaven and very well dressed. The prisoners were apparently in good spirits, and smoked cigarettes incessantly. On Wednesday night the accused pleaded for morphine, but the craving for the drug seems to have abated, and last evening the men were much brighter. They will be arraigned and remanded for a week in order to permit the police to if possible, recover the missing diamond rings.

FERRY IN DANGER ON COLUMBIA

Party of Passengers on Trail Ferry in Peril Because of Cable Breaking

Trail, B. C., July 22.—An accident, which might have been attended with serious results, happened to the Trail ferry across the Columbia river, this morning, about 7:30 o'clock, and furnished a thriller, not only for the passengers, but also for those who were in a position to witness the mishap.

S. F. McKay, who has been operating the ferry for the past week, undertook to take C. L. Merry and a load of supplies across the river. All went well until midstream was reached, when the large cable snapped, and allowed the ferry and its occupants to drift down stream. Their cries attracted attention, and several started in pursuit in small boats.

Fortunately the smaller cable attached to the trolley dragged to the bottom of the river, and thus detained the progress of the ferry in its wild dash down the Columbia, and also had a tendency to swing the ferry to the north shore. With the assistance of the small boats, a landing was made about a mile below the city, and the occupants, save for an exciting ten minutes, were uninjured.

It is fortunate that a landing was made, as had the ferry gone a short distance further down the river it would have been dashed to pieces on the rocks of Rock Island, where the strongest swimmer could not hope to survive. The throwing off of communication between the thriving settlements to the south and east of the city will undoubtedly work hardships on the settlers, and it is earnestly hoped by all that an early commencement will be made on the proposed waggon bridge across the Columbia river at Rock Island. In view of the proposed agitation for the new bridge it is very improbable that any effort will be made to salve the ferry, and also the great expense incurred in putting in a new cable.

Essaying Channel Flight.

Dover, July 22.—Hubbert Latham and M. Bleriot will make an attempt to cross the Channel in their aeroplanes tomorrow. The weather was not favorable today.

A NEW DEPARTURE

National Financial Enterprise Now Backed By Diplomatic Prestige

Pekin, July 22.—The personal telegram sent by President Taft to Prince Chun, the Chinese regent, in behalf of the American claim for equal participation in the Hankow Sze-chuen railroad loan of $27,500,000, has created a sensation among the foreign bankers and members of the legations here. The legations concerned affirm that the loan question until now was not recognized diplomatically but the impression prevails that the matter now becomes political. The German financiers threaten to break the concert of bankers.

FOR PRINCE RUPERT RUN

Historic Steamer Zafaro to Ply Between Railway Termini

Seattle, July 22.—The Collier Zafaro, purchased at a holdup price by Admiral Lewey prior to the battle of Manila Bay, and sold for $3,300 to a Chicago company after being condemned by the Government, has been shifted to Smith Cove from the navy yard at Bremerton, and will be fitted up for passenger trade between Vancouver and Prince Rupert by A. Z. Zeeve.

U. S. Tariff Sentiment

Washington, July 22.—Representative Stafford, of Milwaukee, and Representative Perkins, of Rochester, representing two of the great manufacturing cities of the country, called on the president today and told him that the majority of the house was with him. "We had better have a good bill and a late adjournment rather than a bad bill and early adjournment," Mr. Perkins told the president, who seemed to think the sentiment a good one.

CITY TO APPLY TO COMMISSIONERS

E. & N. Railway Bridge Difficulty Will Be Carried to Highest Court

The city will appeal to the Railway Commission for a ruling in respect to the right, or otherwise, of the E. & N. Railway company to close the company's bridge across the inner harbor to public foot and vehicular traffic.

This step was decided upon at the special meeting of the city council held last evening, when some additional evidence in support of the city's claim that the bridge, when first projected, was intended not only for use as a railway bridge, but was also intended as a public highway, was adduced. When the trouble first arose, Mayor Hall wrote to the company suggesting that some temporary arrangement might be made whereby, pending a definite solution of the difficulty, a right of way for the public could be arranged. No reply has as yet been received from the company.

Additional Data.

In the meantime the city has been looking for evidence to uphold its claim that when the bridge was projected it was intended as a public highway. In addition to the reported statement made by the late Mr. Dunsmuir that it was the intention of the company to allow public traffic across the bridge, another link in the city's chain of evidence has been unearthed. It is a copy secured from Ottawa of a report made by H. F. Perley, then chief engineer of the roads and bridges department of the government of Canada relative to the E. & N. bridge. The report, dated August, 12, 1887, reads as follows:

"Sir,—With reference to the application of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway company for permission to erect a bridge across the harbor of Victoria, B. C., in accordance with a plan submitted in file No. 79,497, I have to state that the bridge in question is intended to accommodate both railway and highway traffic; that it will to a certain extent hinder the free use of the upper portion of the harbor, which I may state is not of such importance as the lower portion; and that it appears by a certain resolution of the municipal council of the city of Victoria that there is not any objection to the construction of the bridge on the site proposed (see file No. 78,983) on the part of the civic authorities.

"The harbor of Victoria is, owing to a want of depth, only available for vessels of comparatively small size and draught, and the site selected by the company leaves the best portion of the harbor free and accessible at all times for such craft as can enter, and a bridge on said site will not obstruct in any way the use of such portion.

"I have, therefore, to recommend for favorable consideration by the Honorable the Minister the application thus made."

Ruling For Commission

In consequence of the above report and the evidence which the city has secured an application will be made to the railway commission for a ruling anent the question of the right of the public to use the bridge. The commissioners are expected to be here next month, when the city's claim will be presented.

A deputation from the Inner Harbor Association was present at last night's special meeting of the council to urge that the city take some steps particularly with regard to the question of the interruption of navigation by the failure of the company to swing the bridge at such times as will permit of the passage of boats, scows and booms of logs. The point was made that as the company now operates the bridge, great delay occurs, and very often ships being delayed when, were they allowed to proceed, a favorable tide could be secured and much time and money saved. The deputation consisted of Thomas C. Sorby, secretary of the Inner Harbor Association, Joseph Sayward, Capt. Grant, J. McGregor and J. K. Rebbeck.

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COAL FIGHT IN CAPE BRETON

Provincial Attorney General Writes for Instruction of Magistrates

COMPANY ASSERTS HEADWAY IN CONTEST

Production for Yesterday Is Slightly Smaller Than in Previous Day

Glace Bay, July 22.—In response to the request of the Dominion Coal Company's solicitor, the attorney-general has written a letter to the magistrates at Glace Bay. After reciting the complaint contained in the letter of the company's solicitor, the latter goes on to say:

"Your attention is called to this matter, not because of any complaint made against you personally, but that in the interests of justice you may discourage any such proceedings. Before a criminal charge should be entertained by any magistrate against a peace officer, it should be carefully investigated, and under the circumstances detailed action should be delayed until the charge on which the person is held is adjudicated upon. After this it is proper to make a charge against a peace officer for making such arrests. Otherwise the charges have the appearance of having been made simply in retaliation. The department will be greatly obliged to you if you will instruct anyone desiring to lay information for arrest under such circumstance as those detailed above, that the laying of such information should be delayed until adjudication by the first magistrate.

"We wish you to assist the department in every way possible so that the administration of the criminal law may not be brought into disrepute."

Justice McCuish, who seems to have been specially complained of, has replied, and repels the insinuation that he has allowed the criminal law to be used as a means of retaliation, and asserts that he has administered justice in good faith and without regard to the wishes of contending parties.

The Dominion Coal Company gives out that 10,000 tons was today's output from the mines and banks. It is reported that 275 men went down in No. 2 today. Forty-two men were brought from the outside and taken into the Reserve mine this afternoon. A slight falling off in yesterday's output as compared with that of the day before was reported by the coal company. Yesterday's production was 8,945 tons, compared with 9,100 tons the previous day. The slight falling off, the company says, was due to a number of men at the Dominion and Reserve mines not showing up the day following a picnic they attended. The conditions at the collieries are reported by the company as continually improving, and the output today seems to show this to be the case. More men have reported for work, and more are expected to arrive tomorrow.

Alleged Gamblers

Paris, July 22.—An alleged band of American professional gamblers have been arrested on the charge of card swindling on a huge scale. American and English guests at the fashionable watering places were the victims. Quantities of marked cards and apparatus for sensitizing the fingers were found in their possession. Posing as strangers, one to another, it is asserted, the men would start a game of poker or bridge, finishing big winners. The principal victims were rich Americans. From one of whom the police say $50,000 was taken at Aix les Bains.

Shots Fired at Strikers.

Kenosha, July 22.—State troops at Millwaukee are in readiness tonight to come at once to this city in the event of any recurrence of the rioting which broke out here today, when the N. R. Allen Sons' company re-opened its tannery plant, the employees of which had been on strike. After the rioting, in which three persons were shot, no serious disturbances occurred. The rioting today began when the guards attempted to disperse strikers who gathered about to jeer at those who remained at work. The guards at the works drew revolvers and charged the mob, firing in the air. When the strikers retreated one of their number was found to be shot, probably fatally. Two officers were also painfully wounded.

SCRATCHING AND BITING

London, July 21.—Six out of fourteen suffragettes who were recently imprisoned in the Holloway jail for breaking windows at Whitehall, have been released on account of insubordination, and Herbert Gladstone, Secretary of State for Home Affairs, intimated in the House of Commons yesterday that it was only a question of a few days until all of the women would be turned out, as the "hunger strike" had become general. Since the women were sentenced to close confinemnt, thy have been breaking all the prison rules, and now, Mr. Gladstone said, they have taken to kicking and biting the female warders. The home secretary hotly denounced James Keir Hardie's suggestion that the cells underground were unsanitary. Attempts made by the supporters of the suffragettes to adjourn the House in order to discuss the infliction of a punishment that was "dangerous to the health of the ladies," was defeated by the speaker, who refused to put the motion on the ground that there had been no departure from the ordinary administration of law.

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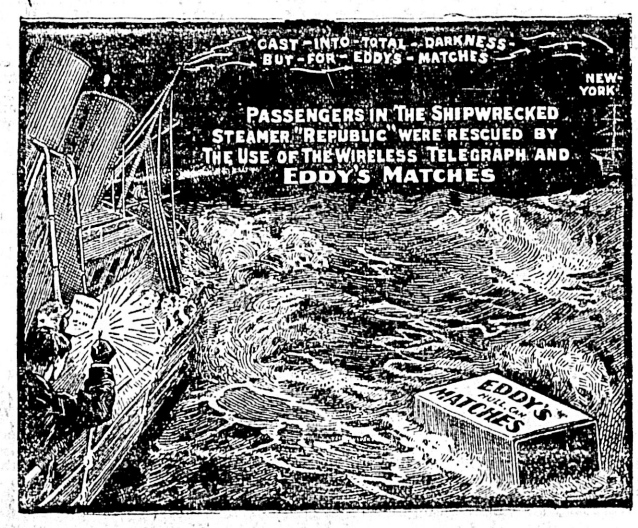

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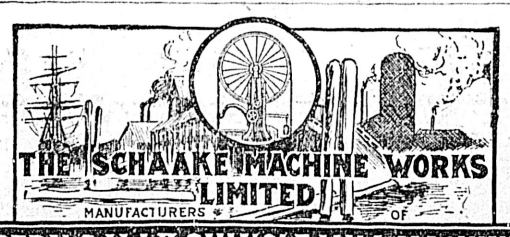

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MORE AMENDING OF POWER BYLAW

Agreement With B. C. Electric Company Before Council

The city has passed upon the bylaw incorporating the agreement between itself and the B. C. Electric Company relative to the development of the Jordan river power scheme. The agreement has been settled so far as the city is concerned—but with amendments.

It appears to be the fate of the agreement to be bandied about—first to be amended by the city, then further amendments suggested by the company, and when the agreement comes back to the city it means still more amendments. With the assent of the company to the city's contention that the city should not be barred from granting a franchise to another company though the corporation was willing to accept the company's proposition that no financial aid or assistance of any kind should be granted to any company which might desire to enter the local field, it looked as if the last difference between the contracting parties had vanished.

Perhaps such is the case, but when the city council, at a special meeting held last evening, considered the agreement two extra clauses were added, and some minor alterations made which will now have to go back to the company. If they are accepted, well and good. If not it will mean further consideration and consequent delay.

More Amendments

In the discussion of the bylaw, which must be submitted to the ratepayers before the agreement can be made binding, there was the same disposition shown by some of the aldermen to rehash old points which, it was thought, had already been settled. Ald. Turner, however, brought up one or two points which proved live topics, and resulted in two additional clauses being added to the agreement. These clauses, more in the nature of explanatory clauses, may or may not be accepted by the company, but in any event will be considered by that concern before the final draft of the bylaw is finally approved of.

After setting forth that the city has entered into an agreement with the B. C. Electric Company providing that the corporation shall hereafter until December 5, 1938, be debarred from competing with the company in the businesses as now carried on in the city without first negotiating to purchase under the powers of expropriation conferred under the amendment to the municipal act as applied for by the city at the next legislature the by-law goes on to recite the terms of the agreement which are as follows:

The Agreement

"This agreement made the——day of —— in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nine, between: The British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited, hereinafter called 'the company,' of the one part; and the Corporation of the City of Victoria, hereinafter called 'the corporation,' of the other part:

"Whereas the company are carrying on the business of electric lighting and power within the city of Victoria and suburbs under the provisions of certain franchises more particularly referred to in the act of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, known as 'The Victoria Electric Railway and Lighting Company, Limited, act, 1894.'

"And whereas the company are carrying on similar undertakings in the city of Vancouver.

"And whereas in the year 1900, the said Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia amended the Vancouver Incorporation act so as to provide that the said corporation of the city of Vancouver should not enter into any municipal undertaking that would come into competition with the business operations of the company in the city of Vancouver, without first offering to expropriate the undertaking of the company on certain conditions in the said act more fully set out.

"And whereas the company has applied to the corporation for their consent to the insertion of the said changes in the said 'Municipal Clauses Act,' the company have proposed to be bound by certain conditions and to undertake and perform the works hereinafter mentioned.

"Now, this agreement witnesseth that the parties hereto mutually covenant and agree with each other as follows:

Within Three Years

"1. At the earliest opportunity, and in any event within three years from the final passing of this bylaw, the company shall erect and maintain a power plant, estimated to cost not less than one million five hundred thousand dollars ($1,500,000) as near as possible to Victoria and tributary to that city, which said plant shall have a capacity of not less than ten thousand (10,000) horsepower, such increased power to be used in extensions to the electric railway, lighting and power undertakings of the company in and around the city of Victoria.

"2. From and after the time when the new plant is in operation the rates to be charged for electric light and power for the city of Victoria shall not exceed the schedule rates now charged by the company for electric light and power in the city of Vancouver; and the rates to be charged for electric light and power in the districts surrounding the city of Victoria shall not exceed the schedule rates now charged by the company for electric light and power in the districts surrounding the city of Vancouver, both of which schedule rates are hereunto annexed and marked 'A' and 'B' respectively, and are hereby incorporated herewith and made a part of this agreement and identified by the signatures of the parties hereto.

"3. From and after the time when the new power plant is in operation the company shall, if requested by the corporation, supply to the corporation at the city lighting station an amount of electricity to be used for lighting purposes of, but not for sale by, the corporation equal to the amount now generated by the present plant and appliances of the corporation, at a price which shall not exceed one-half of the present cost to the corporation of said generation; and if the corporation shall in future require a greater amount of electricity for said corporation lighting purpose, then same shall be supplied by the company at the same rate as above provided.

"4. The company shall, within the three (3) years from the final passing of this bylaw expend on extensions of their present undertakings within the city of Victoria and surrounding districts a sum of not less than two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) exclusive of the expenditure provided for in clause 1 (one) of this agreement.

Power For Sale.

5. If at any time in the future the corporation shall acquire an additional water supply from Sooke Lake or its watershed, and have surplus water for power purposes to dispose of, the Company, if required by the corporation, shall purchase such surplus water delivered through the pipes of the corporation under a suitable head, at a rate to be agreed upon between the company and the corporation; and in the event of the corporation and the company failing to agree upon such rate, the same to be settled by three arbitrators, one to be appointed by each party, and the two arbitrators to appoint a third, the whole to be subject to the provisions of the Arbitration Act; Provided that the company shall not be required to purchase such surplus water unless delivered continuously and uninterruptedly in units of not less than one thousand (1,000) horse-power per day of twenty-four hours during the life of this agreement.

6. The corporation hereby consents to and shall take all steps necessary on their part to procure, at the expense of the company, at the next session of the legislative assembly of the province of British Columbia, an amendment to be made to chapter 32 of the statutes of 1906, known as "the Municipal Clauses Act," in the words and figures following, that is to say:

"The said chapter 32 is hereby amended by inserting after section 50 the following sections, namely,

"'50a, Provided that the municipal council of the corporation of the city of Victoria shall not, whether acting under the authority of this section or by any other power contained in this or any other act, pass any by-law which shall have for its object the raising of money for, or the purchasing, acquiring, constructing, operating, or maintaining any works similar to those now carried on by the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited, in Victoria, or by virtue of which the corporation of the city of Victoria will become a competitor in the said business of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited in Victoria, until the council has, by by-law, fixed the price which they will offer for the property of the said company nor until thirty (30) days have elapsed after notice of such price shall have been communicated to the said company.

Competing Companies.

"'Provided that nothing contained herein shall be deemed to in any wise restrict the right of the said corporation of the city of Victoria to authorise any person, firm or company to enter into competition with the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited, within the limits of the said corporation, or from passing any by-laws necessary for the purpose of conferring franchises, charters, or other enabling powers necessary in that behalf, upon such conditions, and with such restrictions as the said corporation of the city of Victoria may deem advisable, but in so doing, no bonus, exemption, or immunity from taxes, or any class of aid shall be conferred.

'50b. Upon such by-law being passed and notice thereof given to the said company, they may either accept or refuse the same, or give notice to the council that they will require the purchase price of their property to be submitted to arbitration.

"50c. In case the notice referred to in the preceding subsection be given by the said company, the price to be paid for such property shall be referred to the award of three arbitrators, one to be appointed by the said company, one by the council of the said municipality, and the third to be either agreed upon between the arbitrators appointed by the parties or to be named by a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and thereupon the arbitrators shall proceed and the provisions of the 'Arbitration Act' shall apply to such arbitration in all matters not herein specifically provided for.

Question of Price

"50d. In the event of the said company accepting the price fixed by the said by-law or in the event of an award being made under the arbitration hereinbefore referred to, such price shall be paid or secured before any further proceedings are taken by the council under the powers contained in the next preceding section and subsections of this act.

"50e. If said company refuse the price offered by the city, or if, at the expiration of thirty (30) days from the time that notification of the price offered has been delivered they fail to accept such price, or within the period aforesaid fail to give the notice requiring an arbitration as aforesaid, then the council may proceed forthwith to exercise the powers conferred upon them by section 50 hereof."

7. The provisions of this agreement shall enure to and be binding upon the parties hereto and their successors and assigns respectively.

8. The corporation shall forthwith after the execution of this agreement prepare a by-law confirming it, and submit the same to the vote of the ratepayers, and this agreement shall become binding upon he parties hereto when and only when the said by-law shall have received the assent of not less than three-fifths in number of the electors, who shall vote upon such by-law, and who are qualified to vote on money by-laws, and the said amendment to the "Municipal Clauses Act" has been enacted by the legislature.

9. This agreement shall in no way be construed to extend any privilege to the company or vary any existing contract between the parties save as expressly herein stated, or effect any of the existing powers and franchises of the company; and the benefits hereby conferred and the obligations hereby imposed on the company shall terminate on the 5th (fifth) of December, 1938.

Added Clauses.

10. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect the right of the corporation of the City of Victoria to carry on or operate any system of light or power it may deem necessary for its corporate purposes but not for the purposes of sale to other persons, firms or corporations.

11. Failure or default by the company in observing or performing any convenant or condition herein contained by the company to be observed or performed shall be deemed, ipso facto, to annul all the rights, powers and privileges conferred upon the company by this agreement and the waiver of any particular default shall not in any wise affect the right of the city with respect to other defaults, breaches or failures.

In witness whereof, etc., etc.

The sections Nos. 10 and 11 are the additions added to the agreement consequent upon Ald. Turner's suggestions. He pointed out that while the company agrees to have its plant in operation within three years from the date of the passing of the bylaw there was no provision to penalize the company should the plant not then be ready to deliver the full 10,000 horse power. As the bylaw was drafted there was nothing to enable the city to enforce the prompt performance of the contract if the power was not provided within the three years' term, the city had no recourse. Again it might happen that the city might decide not to take power from the company as provided for in the agreement. Instead the city might wish to develop its own power for municipal lighting and power purposes in which case it might be argued by the company that the city would be entering into competition with the company inasmuch as after agreeing to be a customer with the company it decided to develop its own power. These objections resulted in the two above numbered clauses being added to the agreement.

The bylaw incorporating the agreement with the two added clauses was put through its various stages. It will be left over until the company is heard from and if everything is satisfactory the date on which it will be submitted to the ratepayers will be determined. It will require a three-fifths vote in favor of the measure.

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New York, July 22.—H. A. Greenlee, a veteran of the Boer War, who says he is the sole survivor of a party of four young Australians who set out from New South Wales on January 1, 1905, to compete for a purse of $75,000 in a five-year walk around the world, arrived last night. Thus far, he says he has completed 33,000 miles on his devious journey, having averaged nearly 25 miles a day since leaving Australia. Of his three companions, two were killed by savages in Africa and the third died of fever in Colorado. The purse which Greenlee expects to take possession of next summer, was raised, he says, by public subscription, and the four contestants came from four states of Australia. They started without money and worked their way from country to country.

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MAYNARD & SON, AUCTIONEERS.

GARDENING AS WOMAN'S PURSUIT

Head of Swanley Institution Tells of Its Work

Very kindly, Miss Wilkinson, the principal of Swanley Gardens in the beautiful county of Kent, stopped to tell, in the midst of her packing, something of her work and of her impressions of Vancouver Island as a field for the work of pupils.

Miss Wilkinson was trained as a landscape gardener at the Horticultural college in the Crystal Palace, London. Her mother had always loved gardening, and she had been her assistant. When the time came that she felt she was no longer indispensable in a home where there were many girls, she followed her inclination and took up what was then a new profession among women. After having done a great deal of work on many large and beautiful grounds, Miss Wilkinson's skill in organizing placed her at the head of Swanley college. At first there were men as well as women students in this school but the number of men growing smaller they were transferred to other schools and the institution became one for women only. The school is under the control of the Board of Education and on its board of governors are many distinguished men.

The girls who come to Swanley, Miss Wilkinson says, belong to what is called the upper middle classes. They are well educated, many of them being college graduates. They are young, strong and active. There is no lack of work for them at home but they want more freedom and a wider sphere. That is what attracts them to the colonies.

In many of their homes there is really little for a young woman to do except to amuse herself and a woman soon grows tired of this kind of life. It is this lack of home interests and home employment that has led so many English gentlewomen to enter the working world.

English women have always been gardeners. Some of the lovellest gardens in the country are in the villages. Those in Surrey are a perfect dream and many of them are worked by the wives and daughters of the owners.

It was natural, then, for girls looking about for a career to think of gardening and when Swanley was opened to them in 1892, five women entered it. They had been very successful. More and more entered till now there was no branch of gardening that they had not strength and skill to perform.

The work of gardening was not as hard on girls as athletic games and they invariably improved in health after being at Swanley for a few months. Miss Wilkinson showed a picture of one of the girls who wanted to come out to British Columbia. She was unusually strong and could work 12 hours without being overtired.

Miss Wilkinson has come to Canada to see where her girls are likely to find the most profitable employment. She has been at Duncan's and Saanich and has seen all the places in the vicinity of Victoria. So far as she has observed, there is no gardening done here which Swanley girls could not do. She believes that two or three together might cultivate a fruit farm. There are, she thinks, openings as poultry keepers and she cannot see why such employment should not be very profitable.

As jobbing gardeners a woman might be employed in the smaller homes and a few of the more capable might become managers to some of the owners of fruit farms when they had thoroughly learned the conditions.

But it was at first as helpers in the country homes that the girls would be most useful. Their intelligence and refinement would make them admirable companions and they ought to be very useful in helping on the land. They could also assist in the home, though it must be confessed, gardening did not conduce to a love of housework.

Another opening should be in the preserving of fruit and vegetables. This was found to pay very well in the English gardens.

Miss Wilkinson is a great believer in school gardens. Wherever they have been introduced in England the effect on the children had been excellent.

She spoke of the movement in England to get the people away from the cities. In the Garden city of Letchworth all the people have small holdings, and it is intended to establish such industries as bookbinding and other handicrafts in the neighborhood. In England, however, there are many country districts which are suffering for want of labor.

Like Miss Kitson, Miss Wilkinson believes that there is work enough in England for those who are fitted to do it. Asked what would be the result on the labor market for women of the entry into it of so many educated and cultured women, this lady considers that it will be to elevate the standard of the workers. As a proof of this she instanced nursing. Thirty years ago the nurses were a low class of women, real Mrs. Gamps. Then gentlewomen took up the work and now a nurse was honored everywhere. The place is now being filled with educated girls from among the old class who have learned the value of training. The same revolution is beginning in domestic service, although Miss Wilkinson has the greatest regard for the servants of a former generation than whom none are more faithful or capable.

Already graduates of Swanley are filling positions of responsibility both in the old land and in the colonies. In Vancouver, Miss Abercrombie is Nature teacher in the provincial Normal school. Another graduate is head of a vacation school in connection with the University of Philadelphia. In Bloemfontain one of the Swanley girls is looking after the government school gardens, and a fourth is an apiarist in New Zealand, while in Quebec a gentleman has engaged one as his head gardener."

Miss Wilkinson, with her friend, Miss Kitson, left yesterday for Vancouver and will, before she leaves the province, visit the Okanagan.

COMPLETED REPAIRS AT NORTHERN LIGHTS

Returning from Ivory Island and Dryad Point lighthouse where he has been in charge of repairs, C. N. Tubman has returned to Victoria. At Ivory Island lighthouse in Millbank Sound, Mr. Tubman had a gang of men engaged in raising the lighthouse tower. When the new fog alarm building was erected at this station, it was placed in such a position that it obscured the light, and the tower was raised of necessity. A breakwater was also built at Ivory Island.

When the earthquake occurred last winter at Queen Charlotte Islands, it was followed, about twentyfour hours afterward by a tidal wave which did much damage at the Ivory Island light. The waves broke in part of the fog alarm, and to avoid further damage by the sea it was decided to construct a breakwater.

Near World's Record.

Washington, D. C., July 22.—In two short flights in his aeroplane last evening at Fort Meyer, Orville Wright closely approached the world's aeroplane speed record, attaining an average velocity of 54½ miles an hour. During the first flight in the air the craft remained aloft only one minute and 39 seconds, the aviator being forced to descend by losing a cog wheel on the magnets, after making his second round of the course. On his second flight the aeroplane swiftly circled a dozen times around the course, which is five-sixths of a mile. Certain changes in one gearing in the motor and propellers which were intended to give the machine a higher speed had been effected.

MORE POLICING IS NECESSARY

Some Missionaries Are Inclined to Stir Up Indians, Says Surveyor

J. H. Brownlee, of the B. C. Land Survey, who has gained considerable knowledge of the northern Indians during his work gives some interesting reasons for the present unrest among the Skeena tribes, and states that the opinion of the law abiding settlers in that neighborhood is that under present conditions further policing is necessary. An element which, he says, contributes to the discontent is that some of the missionaries are inclined to advise the Indians to stand up for their supposed territorial and tribal rights.

In the course of an interview with the Colonist Mr. Brownlee said:

"The present trouble among the Northern Indians, perhaps can best be described as in the nature of an unrest. My observations lead me to believe that the discontent which has been manifested has been incited to some extent by designing Indian leaders. In this respect I was surprised to find the intimate knowledge which the Indians of the interior possess of Chief Capilano Joe and his vaunted greatness. They have heard of his visit to England, of his reception by the King, and they have been in touch with his doings ever since. I feel assured that his influence with these northern Indians is not for good.

"Another element which makes for the unrest is the fact that Gun-a-Noot, who murdered two white men, is still at large. The Indians believe that since he has succeeded in eluding the justice of the white man, that the arm of the law is not very strong in the north. This belief has had a bad influence on their behavior.

Missionaries Troublesome

"Yet another reason is, and I am sorry to have to say it, that some of the missionaries are inclined to advise the Indians to stand up for their supposed territorial and tribal rights. This incites the Indians to be cheeky, and to interfere with the development of the country. While some missionaries have acted in this manner I wish to cast no reflection on the splendid missionary service Hazelton has enjoyed for the past twenty-five years.

"Some of these discontented tribes arrogate to themselves the right to turn white settlers and land stakers away from the unstaked portion of the province, claiming that the land is theirs through traditional rights. Both the natives, as well as some of the whites in the northern country have a very large capacity for land grabbing, but their capacity for cultivating the land, or indeed making any use of it whatever, is practically nil. As an instance of this, last year I surveyed a block of land on the east side of Babine lake, comprising from 1,500 to 1,600 acres lying north and west of the old Babine post, and having a waterfront of from eight to nine miles. At the time of the survey, in September last, there were no Indians living there, although there were several Indian shacks. As a matter of curiosity I walked over this land again in June this year, and there was not a solitary Indian family to be found there. The most of this acreage was open hillside, capable of cultivation.

Commissioners at Work

"While I was coming down the Skeena river, the Dominion government commissioners, Judge Vowell, the Indian commissioner, S. Stewart, who has been sent out from Ottawa, were on their way up to investigate the situation. I understand that at the time there was a meeting of the Skeena tribes at Hazelton. At this point as well as in the Bulkeley valley it was the general wish of the settlers and merchants that both the Dominion and provincial governments would take this unrest seriously, and would co-operate and devise the best means of preventing a possible uprising.

"The provincial constabulary and the magistrate in the Skeena district are doing very good work in suppressing petty crime among the Indians. But there is a very general opinion that the large district, with Hazelton as its centre, and comprising the Kisplox Indian settlement, the Hagelgate Indian settlement, near Hazelton, the Morristown reserve on the Bulkeley, the Kitwingak Indian settlement, 25 miles below Hazelton, and the other Indian settlements further down the river, are not sufficiently policed under the existing conditions.

Undesirables Entering

"The construction of the first hundred miles of the Grand Trunk Pacific on the west bank of the Skeena, and the fact that the contract for the second hundred miles, which will extend beyond Hazelton, is about to be let, is bringing whiskey peddlars, and many other undesirable men to the northern country. I understand that the provincial government is coping with these new conditions by increasing its police force. From my observations I would say that it is the duty of the authorities to punish any leaders that have incited, or may incite the Indians, to any rash act.

"The northern Indians as a whole are inclined to be peaceable, and if not happy, contented. There are some bad men among them, who are ill advising them, and there are also bad white men in the country, who for selfish reasons would like to see a little tinhorn rebellion started somewhere in the interior, so as to increase the circulation of money there. Any disturbance, however, small, will interfere with the commercial, social, and agricultural interests in the northern country, and the law abiding people are relying on the two governments putting their heads together and preventing an outbreak."

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CLEMENCEAU POLICY AND REFORMED CABINET

Minister of Justice Briand Alternative For Premiership of France

Paris, July 22.—Leon Bourgeois, formerly premier and foreign minister to whom President Falleries has decided to offer the task of forming a new cabinet in succession to the Clemenceau ministry, which fell suddenly two days ago as the result of an adverse vote in the Chamber of Deputies during a debate on the naval scandal, was expected to reach Paris this afternoon. But as doubt exists as to whether he will accept the portfolio, and as time presses, if he should not arrive at the capital before night, M. Briand, minister of Justice and Worship, will be named the premier.

Later: M. Bourgeois failed to arrive on the Cologne express which reached Paris late this afternoon, and it is believed he did not receive the telegram forwarded to him last night by President Fallieries. M. Bourgeois' exact whereabouts are unknown.

The parliamentary leaders are unanimous in agreeing that a reconstructed Clemenceau cabinet committed to the Clemenceau programme is the logical solution of the ministerial crisis, in the face of the coming general election.

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Policing the New Provinces.

Ottawa, July 22.—Comptroller White of the Mounted Police has no official confirmation of the report that an arrangement has been reached with Alberta for the retention of the Mounted Police Force in that province for five years longer. An arrangement is, however, expected as a result of negotiations which have been in progress. The policy of the federal authorities is to withdraw the Mounted Police from the more thickly settled portions of the new provinces by degrees, but it is not intended to hurry the withdrawal until the municipal system of the provinces is better organized.

By Balloon From Brussels

Berlin, July 22.—The French balloon Emulation Du Nord landed in the Gruenwald forest this morning. It ascended with 25 other balloons from Brussels yesterday and made the journey at an average rate of 26 miles an hour. M. M. Eslande and Crolbez, who made the trip with the balloon clambered out of the car into the thicket and reached the ground safely.

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THE WOMAN'S BUILDING

The laying of the corner stone of the Women's Building at the Exhibition grounds yesterday was a very interesting function. The structure is intended for the display at exhibitions of the work of women and children, and it will supply a very much needed requirement. Its inception is due to the energetic action of a number of ladies, who are usually to the fore in all work in which women may be thought to have a special interest. The money will be provided by the various woman's organizations, and will be obtained by public subscription.

The very great interest taken by Victoria ladies in public matters is highly commendable. Perhaps there is no city of its population in Canada where as much public spirit is displayed by the fair sex as here, and certainly in no place is it more in evidence. A pleasing feature of their work is the unobtrusive way in which it is done. This city has every reason to feel proud of its women's societies, and the latest direction in which their efforts have been put forth is highly commendable.

NEW BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In a paragraph elsewhere on this page is a quotation from some observations made by Mr. Templeman upon the effect of the construction of the Grank Trunk Pacific. At the time that enterprise was projected there were wide differences of opinion as to the plan adopted by the Dominion government, but there were none in British Columbia, at least, as to what such a railway would mean to the province. Doubtless knowledge of what Mr. McBride called "New British Columbia" was not as general five or six years ago, even here, as it is now; but there has always been a strong belief in the minds of the people that the region which extends across the province near the 54th parallel was full of promise. When the policy of building a railway to what is now Prince Rupert was adopted, a great deal of attention was given to the region which it would traverse. Reports of surveyors and others, almost forgotten, were brought to light; private explorations were undertaken; and the provincial government sent out surveyors to examine the country and arrange for the advent of settlers. It can be said with confidence that none of the information brought back by these various parties in any way detracted from the previous estimation in which the country was held; but, on the contrary, each of them added to it, by giving details confirmatory of the earliest accounts. We know now that a region of large extent and great potential value will be opened for settlement and industry by the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Just here a little general information concerning the structural character of the country may be interesting. Prominent among the geological features of British Colubia are the great structural valleys. One of these is that occupied by the waters of the Strait of Juan de Fuca, and it extends eastwards until the Hope Mountains are encountered. There the tremendous cleavage extends northwards to form the canyon of the Fraser. Another great structural valley is that occupied by Dixon's Entrance. It extends through the Coast Range to form the secondary valleys occupied by the Skeena and the Naas. There are other structural valleys of vast importance. One of these follows the western slope of the Rocky Mountains. The Kootenay, the Columbia, the Fraser, and the sources of the Peace River occupy it. It widens towards the north until at length its uniformity is lost among the detached peaks of what further south are the Rocky Mountains. Another great valley extends from the Fraser northwesterly. It is occupied by the great central lake region of British Columbia, and, although more or less broken by mountains, it extends far north to form the region drained by the Yukon. The tremendous cataclysm which determined this configuration of the country clove a chasm through the Rocky Mountains through which the drainage of a large area west of that chain finds its way to form the Peace river. These facts have an important bearing upon the future development of the province, for they must be kept in mind, whenever we consider in a broad way how the great problems of transportation and colonization will be worked out.

Speaking generally, it may be said that from the mouth of the Naas on Portland Canal to the point where the 120th meridian crosses the Peace river there is a belt of land nearly all well adapted for settlement. It extends east of that meridian; but we are now only concerned with that part of it which lies within the province. In a direct line, the distance between the two points above named is approximately 400 miles. In demonstration of the claim that this may be looked upon as substantially all fit for settlement, we may mention that lying eastward of the Naas is a fine area, which is connected with the Skeena by what is called the Kispiox valley, also very well fitted for settlement; from Hazleton we pass into the Bulkeley valley and thence into the Nechaco and the lake region. This carries us east to the Gread Bend of the Fraser, north of which is the Omenica country so-called, where there are areas well adapted for settlement. Then come the mountains, but beyond the mountains lie the prairies of the Peace river. All this great region is not cultivable. There are minor mountain ranges west of the Rockies, which interrupt it to a greater or less extent; but prospecting shows that in these mountains are mineral deposits which are almost certain to be of great value.

Such, in a general way is New British Columbia. Of its climatic conditions a few words may be said. Its summers are warm, with abundant precipitation, and the long hours of sunshine are exceedingly favorable to vegetation. Its winters are not as cold as those of Manitoba, and it is free from heavy winds. As a rule spring comes earlier than in the province of Quebec or Northern Ontario. The winters on an average are not more severe than in Aroostook, Maine, or Northern New Brunswick, and the former is called "the garden of New England." Surely New British Columbia is a land full of possibilities, and surely its development is an object worthy of the ambition of any man.

THE NORTHERN INDIANS

If our information is correct, the case of the Indians of Northern British Columbia is one that will need very careful handling. At present there is no real danger, nothing more than what may be described as a general condition of unrest. If nothing untoward happens this feeling may subside in a short time, but a fanatical leader, especially if he can get hold of a lot of whiskey, may do a great deal of trouble. The northern part of this province is very extensive. North of Hazelton is an area of 100,000 square miles in which turbulent Indians might hide themselves from the law. A well-informed gentleman said to the Colonist yesterday that he knew from conversations with the Indians, that they had given this matter a very great deal of consideration, and are much impressed with their ability to defy the white people, if they want to.

We feel very sure that with promptness, firmness and fairness any serious trouble can be avoided, but we would like to impress upon every one the absolute necessity of avoiding anything like politics in the discussion of this subject. No matter what we may think—and we do not suggest for a moment that anything has occurred calling for adverse criticism from a political point of view—it is of the greatest importance that the Northern Indians should be given to understand that the white people are a unit in this matter. It is also important that the Indians should be impressed with the power of the government to control the situation, if it should unhappily become necessary to resort to force. They must be made to understand that whatever their claims may be, they will only be adjusted by peaceable means, that the government—and in a matter of this kind the federal and provincial government should act as a unit, is strong enough to preserve the peace and to punish all who violate the law. As to the way in which this should be demonstrated it may be a little too soon to express an opinion, further than to say that it is desirable, as long as possible, to avoid any appearance of coercion; but we feel very sure that during the coming winter, if not before, all doubt on that point should be removed from the minds of the Indians.

We are sorry to have to think that the present unrest is not due wholly to the influences of such mischief-makers as Capilano Joe; but that certain ill-advised white people have been filling up the minds of the Indians with exaggerated notions of their rights. It is also said that whiskey peddlers are doing a great deal of harm. Now whiskey peddlers, sentimental white people, a turbulent and swollen-headed Siwash and a lot of ignorant, though not naturally troublesome Indians make up a very dangerous combination. We have no doubt that both governments will do their best to prevent any serious trouble, and we refer to the matter now only for the purpose of impressing upon those in authority the necessity of avoiding every unnecessary delay. It is highly desirable that every cause of unrest shall, if possible, be disposed of before the winter sets in.

The news that tenders have been asked for the final section of the Nanaimo-Alberni road will be welcomed by a very great many people.

There seems to be a chance that permission to erect the E. & N. bridge may have been granted on condition that it was to be used for public purposes.

Will there be war in South America? No one can tell. Only one thing is certain and that is that no one ever knows what a South American government will do next.

We had an interesting interview this morning with Miss Wilkinson, the principal of Swanley Gardens, in which she speaks with knowledge and discrimination of some phases of women's work.

Said Bolivia to Argentine: "I'll stand up for my rights to the end." And Argentine replied: "I don't Bolivia." Whereupon there was nothing left but to break off diplomatic relations.

Mr. D. D. Mann is very enthusiastic over the crop prospects. Mr. William Mackenzie has a trick of converting his partner's optimism into shekels, and then they together convert the shekels into railways. All of which is just as it should be. Dan and Billy, as the irreverent call them are "par nobile fratrum," which may be freely translated a pair that are good to draw to.

The Calgary Herald, referring to the question submitted to President Taft as to "what is whiskey," says that at the risk of deterring immigration it will have to state that in the Alberta city it is "15 cents a jolt." There is a tradition that "jolts" are not of absolutely uniform magnitude, and hence the Herald has only partially solved the important question.

Speaking at Vancouver, Mr. Templeman said: "We believe that the Transcontinental in the north will do even more for British Columbia than the C. P. R. has done. We will complete the Transcontinental, and just as sure as fate, when we have that done, we will build a road to Hudson Bay." We find nothing in this to which to raise the slightest objection, and we hope not to be astray when we say that Mr. Templeman and his colleagues may be expected to approach other railway projects in which British Columbia is interested in the same spirit of optimistic resolution. Since he has been in public life, Mr. Templeman has never said anything that had a better ring about it than the sentence just quoted.

Professor Roth of the Michigan University, discusses the timber situation in British Columbia. To the minds of some people his views may assume weight from the fact that he is a Professor of Forestry, but the question of tenure, as considered by him, is simply a matter of policy, and has nothing whatever to do with the science of forestry. He favors an annual tenure, which is surprising in view of the fact that such a tenure would inevitably be wasteful in the extreme, because it would lead every operator to slaughter the growing timber recklessly. Professor Roth has a perfect right to discuss economic problems from any point of view he prefers, but he ought not to give his opinion fictitious value by putting them forward as those of an expert on a subject about which he does not necessarily know more than any one else.

The Colonist has on several occasions directed attention to the manner in which the Arm is obstructed by the booms of logs. No one wishes to put the slightest obstacle in the way of any legitimate industry. This city needs as big a pay roll as it can get and the more saw mills the better. But there is such a thing as regard for the rights of others. A few weeks ago a boom of logs lay all the way across the Arm just above the Point Ellice bridge. Frequently the booms are in such a position as to be very dangerous to pleasure craft. There is a regulation, which says that all rafts shall carry lights, but some one has chosen to construe that to mean that booms need not. We know of no definition of a raft that will not apply to a log boom. The dictionary says a raft is a collection of logs fastened together for purpose of transportation, or a collection of timber which obstructs navigation. It is idle to claim that a collection of logs held together by a number of other logs is not a raft whether the junction between the logs is made by a chain or in some other way. But apart altogether from the matter of lights, it is the duty of the harbor master to see that the fairway is kept clear, and he should attend to it.

The Swiss Guards Who Did Their Duty

The Swiss have often been noted for brave deeds, but one of those we like to think about most was done by Swiss soldiers far away from their own beautiful Lake Lucerne, in Paris, in 1792, the year of the Revolution.

The French kings had learned to rely on the Swiss, and had formed a guard of honor of trusty yeoman from Lucerne and other cantons, and called it "Les Gardes du Roi."

When the mob stormed the Tuileries Palace, where the royal family were, on August 10th, 1792, the Swiss Guards stood firm at their posts, defending with their lives King Louis XVI. and his queen, so that the men who were thirsting for their blood could only reach them over the bodies of the Swiss. One after another the soldiers were massacred, fighting bravely till two battalions were overcome, and when the rest fell, on September 2nd and 3rd, the Swiss Guards were almost wiped out.

The great Danish sculptor, Thorwaldsen, designed a beautiful memorial for the Swiss Guards, which has been sculptured out of the natural rock in the Glacier Garden at Lucerne. It represents a wounded lion pierced by a broken weapon, defending with its paw, as it lies dying, a shield bearing the fleur-de-lis of France. On the rock over the lion's head we read "Helvetiorum fidei ac virtuti," a Latin inscription which means "To the fidelity and courage of the Swiss." Then the names are given of those who were not false to the oath of fidelity—officers and men who fell not in defence of their own country, but simply in doing their duty to a foreign king.

If you ever go to Lucerne, be sure to see the lion, for it is a touching monument to loyalty, carved in the Alps of the men's native land. It is over a hundred years since they fell, but their memory is still dear in the land of their birth.—Children's Encyclopedia.

Try Some of This Summer Furniture

SEND HOME A REED OR SEAGRASS CHAIR OR ROCKER FOR PORCH OR LAWN

FOR YOUR lawn or porch or to make your home bright and summery there isn't a chair style that'll so satisfactorily fill the requirements as will these reed, rattan or sea grass chairs. They are the ideal chairs for summer use. Cool and inviting in appearance, they don't disappoint when you fall into one weary and tired—they are genuinely comfortable.

Our showing is a most complete one this season. Past years we have not been able to meet the popular demand, so this season we stocked heavier than usual. Although we have sold many pieces we can still show you the most interesting and complete assortments in the city. Prices are decidedly easy this season. Pleased to have you come in.

We show Chairs from, each.....**$2.50** | We have rockers from, each **$4.50**

Fourth Floor

Lightning Freezer

Makes smoothest ice cream, easily and quickly, because of the famous Lightning Wheel-dasher and Automatic Twin Scrapers. Saves ice and salt, too. Lasts longer because of electrically welded, round, steel hoops—can't fall off; and can with steel bottom—can't leak or fall out.

We Show Many Sizes Priced from Each $2.75 to $20

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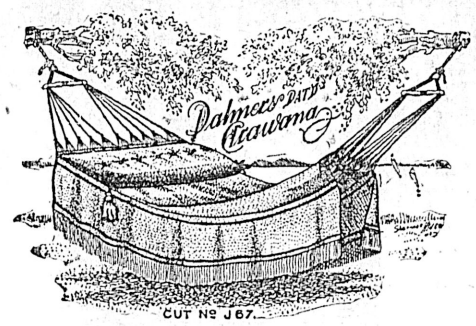
To Summer Comfort—It's Fine

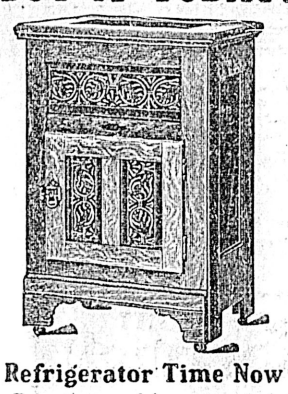


If you haven't tried the "hammock way" to Summer comfort you should invest in one of these and swing it 'neath some friendly tree or on the porch. You'll be delighted with its comfort and you'll enjoy the light Summer fiction in real comfort.

Come in and let us show you our assortment of SUPERIOR hammocks. These styles will satisfy—will please you with more than one season's service. We have an excellent line, priced at, each—**$2** to **$6**

—Second Floor

BUY IT TODAY!



Refrigerator Time Now

Buy that refrigerator today and escape the disappointments of uncertain meals through the spoilables spoiling. Hot weather here now and you'll require a refrigerator.

We have made the prices easy and these refrigerators are the economical sort—the kind that don't eat ice. Let us show you the range at, from—

$12 to **$100**

—Fourth Floor

CARPET ENDS

And Sample Carpet Lengths

AT LITTLE PRICES

NOW FOR an opportunity to add a few excellent rugs to your home furnishings at little cost. It's possible with these sample carpet lengths and carpet ends priced at such little prices.

In the course of the extensive carpet business we enjoy we accumulate a great quantity of ends and samples. This summer we have been unusually busy in carpets and the result is a proportionately larger number of these short length pieces.

Out they go. Priced as these are it won't take long to clean out the whole lot. The assortment includes pieces of Axminsters, Wiltons, Brussels and Tapestry. These pieces measure from 1½ yards. to 2 yards

Prices represent but a fraction of the regular prices. Big choice, from, each—**50¢**

—Second Floor

NEW PARLOR TABLES

A Grand Assortment Now

We have a grand assortment of parlor tables now—the new additions, this week, completing a showing of these furniture items that is unusual in point of variety, style and price.

Drop in and see these new arrivals. These come in mahogany finish and in golden oak. Finish and workmanship is worthy of the splendid designs. The price is the only ordinary feature of these—and perhaps it is special for we do not think such excellent values are offered elsewhere. We have these tables priced at, each—**$3.25** to **$16**

—Third Floor

NEW BUFFETS

Stylish Styles You'll Like

NEW BUFFETS are pleasing and many are offered. Last week's additions are among the finest examples we have ever shown. In both Early English and Golden Oak finishes we show a great choice. Here are two interesting pieces—

BUFFET—A golden oak style. Made of selected oak, finely finished. Has 1 large and 2 small drawers, 2 cupboards and large bevel plate mirror. Priced at **$40**

BUFFET—An Early English finished style. Selected oak has been used. Has 1 large and 3 small drawers, 2 cupboards and large bevel plate mirror. Old copper fittings. Priced at.....**$60**

It'll pay you to inspect our offerings in furniture for the dining room. Matters not what your "scheme" may be, we believe we are in a better position to satisfactorily fill your wants than any other establishment. Costs nothing to investigate.

—Third Floor

DELIGHTFUL NEW AYNSLEY CHINA IS ON SALE TODAY

Charming Tableware at the Easiest of Prices Awaits You Here

YESTERDAY we marked some of the daintiest china it has been our good fortune to handle for many a day—a heavy shipment of china tableware from the famous Aynsley potteries. And we are going to make many new friends for our china department by offering these at specially easy prices.

By all means see the window and the offerings on the first floor balcony. You'll be more than delighted with the dainty china and surprised at the little prices at which we have marked these. See the excellent range of 40-piece china tea sets at $10 and the 22-piece sets at from $6. Charming bread and butter plates from $3 per dozen.

These are a few representative values. Pleased to have you come in and handle these pieces.

China Morning Sets, $4

Here is a dainty idea just received. Set consists of china tray, cup and saucer, sugar, cream and tea pot. Choice of several dainty decorations. Priced at **$4**

Tete-a-Tete Sets, $10

Another charming addition in Aynsley china. These sets consist of china tray, 4 cups and saucers, sugar, cream and tea pot. Daintiest bone china. Price, per set, **$10**

EGG STANDS—4 egg cups and stand at, each **$2.00**
SQUARE SHELLS, at each 60c to **35¢**
HONEY POTS, at each.....**$1.00**
TEA CADDIES, at each.....**$1.00**
HAIR TIDIES, at each **$1.00**
FERN POTS, at each .....**75¢**
MARMALADE POTS, at each..**$1.50**
BISCUIT JARS, at each **$2.00**

Dozens of Other Pieces Shown

40-PIECE TEA SETS FROM $10

We are showing a grand assortment of dainty tea sets in the fine Aynsley china. Great choice of decorations. Prices range from

$10 to $35

22-Piece Tea Sets $6

Ideal for Wedding Gifts

Here is an ideal wedding gift—a 22-piece tea set of beautiful Aynsley bone china. Great choice of superb decorations. Set consists of:

6 TEA CUPS AND SAUCERS. 6 TEA PLATES 1 TEA POT 1 SUGAR 1 CREAM

We know of nothing daintier at the price—nothing more acceptable. See the sets at

$6.00 $6.50 $7.00

ROUND BOXES, at 75c to .....**50¢**
OVAL BOXES, at $1.00 to .....**50¢**
HEART BOXES, at 75c to .....**50¢**
"AT HOMES," each .....**75¢**
DESSERT PLATES, at each.....**75¢**
JUGS, each $1.00 to .....**75¢**
A. D. CUPS AND SAUCERS, each **50¢**
CRUETS, with salt, pepper and mustard, each **$1.75**

Costs Nothing to Handle These

Bread and Butter Plates $3 Doz.

This shipment contained an unusually good assortment of plates. The daintiest of decorations on china of finest quality. Priced at, per dozen, $12 to **$3**

Sole Agents "Libbey" Cut Glass Finest Made

WEILER BROS.

HOME FURNISHERS SINCE 1862, AT VICTORIA, B.C.

Sole Agents Ostermoor Mattress Price $15.00

News of the World in Brief

PROVINCIAL

Charged With Theft.

Vancouver, July 22.—David A. Steele of New Westminster was arrested at 6 o'clock this morning by Detective McLeod and Green on a complaint charging him with the theft of $300 from Jack Stewart. In the police court this morning the case was remanded for a day and his bail was set at $2,000. Stewart alleges that while visiting the Shore street houses last night in company with Steele and other young men, Steele secured his money.

Collision With Runaway Team.

Vancouver, July 22.—Late yesterday afternoon Mrs. W. D. Wallbridge and Mrs. Carl had a very narrow escape from serious injury in a collision between a runaway Hudson's Bay team and their own light rig in Stanley park. The frightened team got beyond the control of the driver and dashed directly into the rig in which rode the two ladies, but although both the occupants were thrown out, neither suffered the least injury. Their horse was injured slightly and the rig was totally demolished. The runaway was captured shortly afterward without doing any further damage.

New School Inspectorate.

Vancouver, July 22.—The provincial department of Education, having recently increased the staff of school inspectors, has divided the large coast inspectorate, which previously included all the territory and schools exclusive of the city of Vancouver on both sides of the Fraser river to Agassiz and along the coast and adjacent islands to Prince Rupert, into two inspectorates. One of these will include the rural municipalities on the south side of the Fraser river, Delta, Surrey, Langley, Matsqui, Sumas and Chilliwack, together with the cities of Chilliwack and New Westminster. This territory has been assigned to Inspector Gillis, with headquarters at New Westminster. Inspector A. C. Stewart, who for the past eight years covered this whole territory, has been assigned to the coast district and the municipalities adjoining Vancouver and along the C. P. R. to Harrison river, with headquarters, as previously, in the city of Vancouver.

CANADIAN

Harvesters in Demand

Winnipeg, July 22.—The C. P. R. is arranging excursions from the east for farm hands to gather the crop of western Canada, which is expected to be a bumper one.

Yacht Party Safe

Houston, Texas, July 22.—The pleasure yacht with ten residents of Houston on board, thought to have been sunk in the storm of yesterday, is reported safe.

Jewelry Store Raided

Portage la Prairie, Man., July 22.—The jewelry store of B. A. St. John was entered by burglars this morning and two thousand dollars' worth of diamonds, as well as many watches, pins, chains and brooches were stolen.

Career of Crime

Toronto, July 22.—Ernest Campbell, who has been here from Ireland only about two years, pleaded guilty at this morning's police court to theft of $107 from the 48th Highlanders regiment, and was sent to the Central prison for two years.

Reprieve Wanted

Winnipeg, July 22.—Mike Pidhoney, the self-confessed murderer of a Galician in a wood camp near Sandiland, Man., is giving the police authorities much trouble, as he absolutely refuses to eat anything. Application has been made to the department of justice for a reprieve for him.

For Catholic College

Toronto, July 22.—In connection with the new Roman Catholic Mission College and seminary that is to be erected on the city's eastern outskirts it is stated on excellent authority that Mr. Eugene O'Keefe has subscribed $25,000. Other prominent Catholics are mentioned as having contributed largely to the fund.

Aged Minister Dies

Seaforth, Ont., July 22.—Rev. Geo. Buggin, a retired minister of the Methodist church, died this morning, aged 77 years, from heart failure following a brief attack of acute gastritis. He retired here two years ago after a period of 47 years spent in the ministry. Of his family, his widow, three sons and three daughters survive.

Eastern Fruit For Prairies

Toronto, July 22.—Fruit growers in the St. Catharines district are commencing arrangements to ship their products to the West in special cars. A new box for holding berries also may be used, the present form not being suitable for long shipments. The bulk of berries in each box is too great, many being crushed in long runs.

BRITISH

Anglo-Americans.

London, July 22.—A woman Anglo-American entente, with the object of striving to put an end to the incessant bickerings between the two nations, was organized this afternoon at the residence of David Lloyd-George, the chancellor of the exchequer. Among the members of the committee are Mrs. Asquith, wife of the premier, Mrs. Lloyd-George, Mrs. Winston Churchill, wife of the president of the board of trade, Lady Brassey, Lady Meath, Lady Pearson, and Lady Weatherdale.

Britain's Navy.

London, July 22.—The summer of 1909 will be remembered as the season of naval pageantry. Last month the greatest assemblage of war craft in the history of the British navy took place off Portsmouth. This week the same ships entered the Thames, and the public was able to see the largest fleet that ever anchored so near London. On Saturday the ships will gather at Portsmouth; on July 31st they will be reviewed by the King; and on the following Monday the Emperor of Russia will have an opportunity to see them when his yacht comes to Cowes for the meeting with the King.

FOREIGN

Old Enough

New York, July 22.—Col. Alexander H. Holt, 70 years old, and Miss Helen May Griswold, who gave her age at 60, both of Washington, obtained a marriage license here today. Col. Holt is a retired army officer.

White Slave Traffic

New York, July 22.—A plea for the stoppage of the "White Slave" traffic between the United States and the Canal zone is contemplated in a letter from Second Lieut. C. W. Barber, of the Second U. S. Infantry, the assistant chief of police of the Canal zone, which was given out today by the local police. Writing to former Commissioner Bingham, Lieut. Barber declares that many American girls, especially actresses, had been lured to Panama and that "the life they lead there would make your heart bleed." The letter tells the story of three chorus girls, the writer says, who were lured to Panama on promise of an engagement in a local playhouse and who were saved by the chaplain of the steamer Tarus, who took them down. The woman who is alleged to have engaged them to go to Panama was arrested and escaped, but later was arrested in Guayaquil under the name of Spencer. The police will meet the steamer Alliance, due here tomorrow, to ascertain if the woman calling herself Helen Spencer, who, a wireless message last night said had vainly attempted suicide on board, is the woman who was arrested in Guayaquil.

VICTORIA SCORES AT RIFLE RANGE

E. J. McDougall Leads in Helmcken Match With Total of Century

Vancouver, July 22.—At the B. C. R. A. matches today the New Westminster cup scores were: D. A. McIntosh, 49; W. Hart-McHarg, 40; Rev. W. H. Simpson, 47; E. J. Morgan, 47; G. Cartnell, 47; C. Milne, 47; J. Stevens, 47; Yonghill, 47; W. Rae, 47; W. Miller, 46.

Nursery—L. B. Lusby, 33; V. Taylor, 33; Collings, 32; Dr. Cartwright, 32; J. A. Humphreys, 31; J. D. Johnston, 31; Pope, 31; Crookall, 31; W. J. Hunt, 31; Morgan, 30.

Helmcken match—E. J. McDougall, 100; W. B. Hunter, 97; F. C. Wolfenden, 97; Porter, 96; Mortimer, 96; W. A. Taylor, 96; J. Stevens, 96; W. Winsby, 96; Collings, 96; St. Love, 96.

B. C. Electric—Vancouver R. A., 733; Fifth Victoria, 724; New Westminster, 718; Sixth Vancouver, 714; Okanagan R. A., 710.

Peru Will Negotiate.

Washington, July 22.—Official information reached the state department today that with a view to avoiding possible hostilities over the arbitration dispute, between the governments of Bolivia and Peru, the latter, the beneficiary of the boundary award, have agreed to open negotiations directly with each other in the hope of arranging a modification of the Argentine territorial decision which will be satisfactory to all parties concerned. The fact that negotiations are under way is a matter of much gratification to the officials of the state department, who have strong hopes that trouble will be averted.

CITY TO APPLY TO COMMISSIONERS

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Will Not Sway Bridge

Mr. Sorby stated that the railway company is now operating the bridge in its own interests contrary to the regulations as they affected the shipping interests. The company insists that the bridge shall not be swung unless one-half hour prior to a ship desiring to go through. There is no reason why, if up-to-date motive power is used, a quicker time should not be made. But as things are now great delay occurs, and when persons using the upper harbor in their business wish to ship logs or bring in boats they suffer loss by reason of the delay in swinging the bridge.

Joseph Sayward illustrated some instances where loss might have occurred through the delay in swinging the bridge, and Mr. McGregor stated that while in other harbors trains are supposed to wait upon the water traffic here the opposite is the case. What was really needed was an up-to-date bridge, either operated by power which would result in its quick operation or a new bridge of the bascule type, which would allow of the entire width of the water passage being utilized. To put the present bridge in proper shape to operate without delay would require the expenditure of about $5,000, but to build an up-to-date bridge would mean an expenditure of perhaps $80,000.

Capt. Grant also urged some improvement in the present system whereby delays are incurred which redound to the loss of those interested in the shipping industry.

Ald. Bishop advocated the city, the provincial and Dominion governments and the railway company getting together and arriving at some satisfactory solution, which would result in a proper bridge being erected, while Mayor Hall suggested that as Hon. Mr. Pugsley will arrive here tomorrow he might be interviewed, and an effort be made to induce him to take the matter up with his confreres.

It was finally decided to lay the matter before the railway commissioners when they arrive on the coast next month.

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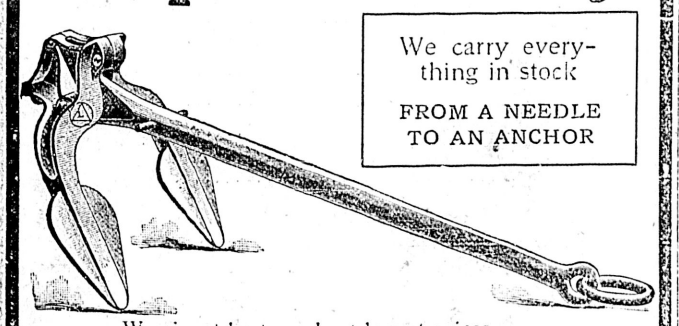

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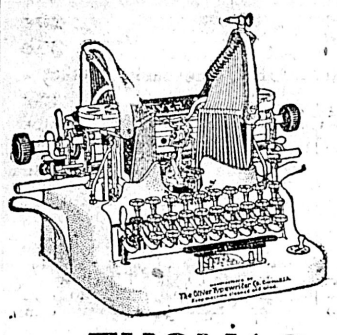

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NEWS OF THE CITY

Leaves For Vancouver.

Hon. Richard McBride left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver to open the kermesse. He will not return until Tuesday next.

Will Erect Dwelling

A building permit was taken out yesterday afternoon by J. R. Saunders, who will erect a dwelling on Pembroke avenue to cost $1,700.

Cormorant Street Pavement

Cormorant street between Store street and Government street is being prepared for the granitoid pavement, which will be laid on that portion of the thoroughfare. The gas mains are being installed and connections made with the various premises on either side. Work on laying the pavement will commence in about ten days' time.

New Magistrate.

In the police court yesterday Mr. C. J. Prior made his first appearance on the bench as magistrate, he having consented to officiate in that capacity during the absence of Mr. Jay. The proceedings were short as there were only a couple of drunks in the dock. This morning, however, a long session is expected as there are a number of motor cases awaiting adjudication.

Early Start on Pavement

Now that the contract between the city and Sabin & Stevens, who have secured the contract for the laying of the vitrified brick pavement on Wharf street, has been signed, work will commence at once, probably today or tomorrow. The Denny-Renton company, Seattle, from which the brick will be secured, has notified the city that it is ready to start delivery by August 10, at which date the roadway will be in shape, it is expected, to receive the brick.

Resigns Secretaryship.

Angus B. McNeill has resigned his position as secretary-treasurer of the Victoria and Esquimalt Pilotage Authority, and Joshua Kingham has succeeded to the position. In his letter of resignation Mr. McNeill states that he finds his real estate and other lines of business are hampered by the responsibility of the office, and thanks the Pilotage Board for their unfailing courtesy and consideration during his term of office. Mr. Kingham, by virtue of taking up the office resigns the post of commissionership on the Pilotage Board.

Hall Will Recover

Julian Hall, the man who attempted to take his own life early Wednesday morning at his lodgings in Esquimalt by shooting himself, but who, wounded and unconscious, was conveyed to St. Joseph's hospital, will be about again in a few days. Hall directed the shot into his own brain, but his intoxicated state interfered with his aim and beyond severely wounding himself he failed to accomplish his purpose. He is now resting quietly at the hospital and in a few days will be well enough to return home.

Early Morning Fire

Rats and matches caused an early morning blaze yesterday morning in the premises of the Hamilton Powder company, corner of Fort and Wharf streets. When the alarm was sounded by the night watchman about 4:30 o'clock smoke was issuing from the windows of the place in dense volume. A quantity of office stationery was on fire when the firemen burst open the front door, but beyond some damage to a counter and the loss of some stationery little damage was done. The brigade promptly subdued the incipient blaze.

Surface Drain Work

Rapid progress is being made on the installation of the big six-foot brick surface drain which will be constructed from Ross Bay along Linden avenue, Snowdon and Oscar streets to Cook street to connect with the drain on the latter thoroughfare. A large gang of workmen has been engaged for the past two weeks and the work is completed on Oscar street. It will require an expenditure of about $45,000 for the drain, which will be finished before the rainy season commences. Work is also in progress on other sections of the surface drainage system which will be installed under the authority of the $150,000 bylaw which was passed last year. On Burnside avenue one of the main drains is being installed and work is also progressing on the King's avenue drain, while the drain to be laid on Fernwood road will be commenced in a short time. Lateral drains from these main drains are also to be constructed.

CONSERVATIVE PICNIC

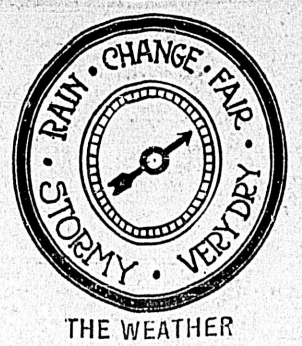
Annual Celebration to Be Again Held at Sidney, B. C.

The annual Conservative picnic will be held at Sidney on Saturday, August 7. Return fare 25 cents. Arrangements have been made for a good train service all day and a large attendance is assured. The premier and members of the cabinet have arranged to attend as well as several of the Ottawa M. P.'s and a number of the local members. Those who remember the splendid success of last year's outing feel confident of an even larger attendance. All the committees in charge are working hard for the success of the picnic which has now established itself as an annual affair.

ESCAPES FROM STRAITJACKET

Pantages Performer Does Wonderful Feat of Liberation

Last night, in full view of the large audience Leon, one of Astro's wonder workers, wriggled, twisted, rolled and squeezed himself out of a regulation official straight-jacket commonly used in penitentiaries and insane asylums for completely subduing desperate criminals or insane people. A committee which included a number of police officials superintended the placing of Leon in the jacket and it seemed utterly impossible for him to free himself yet it took him just six minutes to do the trick, to the astonishment of all who saw him. This afternoon Miss Astro will attempt to escape from a sealed trunk, after being handcuffed and shackled and tomorrow night Astro, the fortune teller will present each lady present a palmists chart and there will probably be something doing in the way of holding hands later on in Victoria social circles.



THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., July 22, 1909:

SYNOPSIS.

The barometer remains high along the coast and as it is low over the Rockies fresh to strong westerly winds prevailed on the Straits and Sound. Fine warm weather continues in the Prairie provinces.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	55	69
Vancouver	54	76
New Westminster	56	72
Kamloops	64	96
Barkerville	...	72
Fort Simpson	50	...
Atlin	46	50
Dawson, Y. T.	38	68
Calgary, Alta.	46	84
Winnipeg, Man.	52	76
Portland, Ore.	56	76
San Francisco, Cal.	50	62

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Friday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate to fresh westerly winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland: Winds mostly westerly and southerly, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

THURSDAY.

Highest	69
Lowest	55
Mean	62

Sunshine, 12 hours, 48 minutes.

St. Pierre Fishery.

Ninety-seven vessels of the French fishing fleet had arrived at St. Pierre. Nearly all the vessels have good catches, about 70,000 quintals of fish having been landed in seven days. Some vessels have taken as high as 2,000 quintals. The only failures reported are from vessels operating at Flemish Cape, where fish have been very scarce all the spring. The scarcity of vessels in which to ship the fish to France had had a tendency to reduce the price, which has dropped two francs in the past two weeks, 17 francs being the prevailing rate at present.

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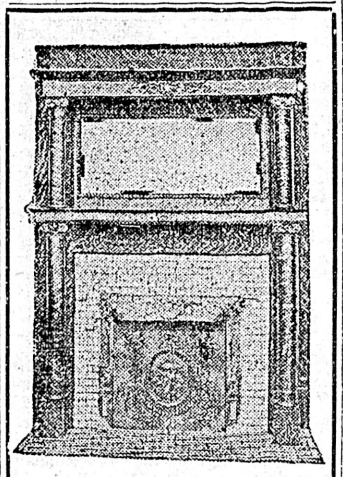

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CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing on lands on Mud river, in Cariboo district, and Range 4, Coast district, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette of July 2nd, 1908, and bearing date of June 30th, 1908, is cancelled.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., May 1st, 1909.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Reserve existing on the lands embraced in special Timber License No. 23,290, situated on Gambier Island, New Westminster District, is cancelled.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
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Department of Lands,
14th July, 1909.

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ROBERT A RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C., June 5, 1909.

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TENDER RECEPTION TO MRS. DOBESON

An Interesting Account of Woman's Activity in Australia Given

A reception was tendered by the local council of women to Mrs. Dobeson, the representative of the Australian councils at the Congress of Women which recently met at Toronto, on Wednesday evening.

The president of the local council, Mrs. C. E. Cooper, and Mrs. Hasell, secretary of the Alexandra Club, acted as hostesses. Among those present were Mrs. Day, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Fitzgibbons, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Gordon Grant, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Gleason, Mrs. Reid, Miss Tully, Dr. Etta Donovan, Miss Stevenson, Miss Kitson, of Scarborough, Eng., Mrs. Wilkinson, of Swanley Gardens, Miss M. Evans, Mrs. Ney, Rev. C. E. Cooper, and Mr. J. Day.

The rooms were very beautifully decorated, and refreshments were served during the evening.

Mrs. Dobeson delivered a short but very interesting address. She spoke of the objection the councils of women in Australia had to federating into a national council, explaining the constitution of the Commonwealth, and the very great distances between the states. It was owing to these causes that the different councils considered it wiser to preserve their autonomy.

The councils of Australia had done excellent work. They had been instrumental in establishing children's courts in every state. In Victoria they had an epileptic colony, and it was through their efforts that sanatoria for tuberculosis patients had been established throughout the country.

That in Tasmania had been very successful, a very large percentage of cures having been effected. The councils had not yet succeeded in obtaining pure milk supplies, but they were working for it. Laws had been made for the better protection of women and children, and the good laws on the statute books had been enforced. The uselessness of having laws which were only a dead letter was dwelt upon.

Methods Described.

The method of the council work in Tasmania was described. The council took up any work which it saw was needed, brought it before the women, who formed themselves into a society to carry it on. Much of its work was done through special committees, who were really experts in their departments. Among the good things the council had done was to place women wardens in the prisons.

The speaker described the work of the bureau of information in connection with the council, and advised the local council to enter upon that work. In this way they could keep in touch with what was going on in every part of the world in council work.

Mrs. Dobeson advocates strongly the establishment of the society of ministering children. This was first begun by Lady Meath in her own home to promote among her children a spirit of unselfishness and love for others. In Australia the society is affiliated with the local council of women, and the children have done wonderful work for many benevolent purposes. They build and support orphanages, and in Victoria and Western Australia have a home for consumptives.

The speaker passed on to tell of the work Australian women had done in the political world. She could say that so far the possession of votes by women had resulted in nothing but good. She, herself had not worked to gain the vote, but had felt it her duty to exercise the franchise. The vote had been used in promoting morality. Women were recognized by men as the chief workers in philanthropical and social causes, and the side of legislation concerned with these was the better for women's help. It was admitted that a danger exists that pressure might be brought to bear upon the wives to force them to vote. This had been the case in some of the labor organizations during elections. Education, however, was overcoming prejudices.

In closing, Mrs. Dobeson said that if the work now being undertaken by the councils of women throughout the world in the realms of health, education, and morality were carried out, there would be a bloodless revolution.

Mrs. Jenkins, in moving a vote of thanks, said she was delighted with the opportunity of expressing her appreciation of the work done by the councils of Australia. Such addresses brought us into closer touch with the women of other countries, and gave a larger insight.

In seconding the vote, Mrs. Fitzgibbon said she felt like a twisted interrogation point. There were so many questions she wanted to ask. Nothing was more necessary than that we should have a clearer idea of the geography of other parts of the empire and of the problems the people had to solve. For herself, she preferred that men should bear the burden of dealing with political questions.

Miss Kitson supported the vote in a short speech in which she said that Canada was greatly to be congratulated on having no need for poor-law guardians. She and Miss Wilkinson would on their return be missionaries to preach to Englishmen the value of Canada to them. Of this they had but a faint conception.

The vote was unanimously passed.

Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Hasell, Mrs. Day, Mrs. Gordon Grant, and others took part in the interesting informal discussion that followed.

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OBITUARY NOTICES

Finlayson

The remains of the late Mrs. Alexina Ann Finlayson were laid to rest yesterday afternoon in the family plot in Ross Bay cemetery. The funeral took place from the chapel of the B. C. Funeral Furnishing company at 2:45 and at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church at 3 o'clock, where an impressive service was conducted by the Rev. W. L. Clay, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Reid. The favorite hymn, "Forever With the Lord," was sung, also the 23rd psalm. There was a large attendance of sympathizing friends and the many beautiful flowers testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held. The following acted as pallbearers: Senator Macdonald, Keith Wilson, R. B. McMicking, James Flett, Gavin Burns and John Fullerton.

Hughes

The death occurred at the Royal Jubilee hospital yesterday of Allan Hughes, a merchant of Medora, Man. Deceased was on a pleasure visit to the coast, accompanied by his wife and daughter, when he was suddenly seized with appendicitis, which proved fatal. The remains, which have been removed to the Hanna undertaking parlors, will be embalmed and shipped to Medora.

Greenwell

The funeral of the late John Greenwell took place yesterday afternoon. Services were conducted in the Hanna chapel, Yates street, at 2:30 p. m., by the Rev. Christopher Burnett. Interment took place in Ross Bay cemetery, the pallbearers being: G. Greenwell, R. Nelson, E. French, J. Wood.

Giles

The funeral of George Pitman Giles will take place tomorrow afternoon from the Hanna chapel, Yates street, at 2:30 p. m. The funeral will be under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. and the S. O. E., of which lodges deceased was a valued member.

BY FERRY FROM BUTE INLET

Strong Argument by T. W. Paterson for Transcontinental Connection

The board of trade railway committee met in the board rooms yesterday morning to report progress. At a previous meeting a memorandum, outlining data which might with advantage be collected, was submitted to the committee by R. P. Rithet. Each member of the committee was furnished with a copy.

T. W. Paterson in the course of the meeting presented a very strong argument in favor of island connection with a transcontinental railway by way of ferry in the neighborhood of Bute Inlet. Indications were that a large amount of valuable information was being collected, and the possibilities of the committee making out a very strong case for the improvement of railways on the island are increasing.

TO ENTERTAIN HON. MR. PUGSLEY

Minister Will Be Taken Over Victoria and Esquimalt Harbors

At a meeting of prominent citizens who are interested in local harbor improvements, held in the board of trade rooms yesterday, the question of the social and business arrangements for the reception of the Hon. W. Pugsley, Minister of Public Works, were discussed.

At the last meeting of the council of the board of trade this matter was delegated to the president, Simon Leiser, who yesterday called together a few of the most interested parties in harbor improvement. In the making of the arrangements some regret was expressed because it was deemed advisable not to include a banquet, in consequence of the limited time at the disposal of the minister.

The representations which will be made as to the most important harbor improvements were agreed upon, and the programme for Monday was arranged as follows:

The Hon. Mr. Pugsley will be met in the board of trade rooms at 9:30 o'clock on Monday morning. Plans of Victoria Harbor will be presented to him, and the general plan of improvement explained. The meeting will then adjourn to the s.s. City of Nanaimo, which the C. P. R. has very kindly placed at the disposal of the board of trade for the occasion. The party will proceed in the vessel over the harbor below the railway bridge, and upon their return the sternwheeler White Swan Flyer, will be requisitioned to take Mr. Pugsley and a committee over the harbor above the railway bridge. It is expected that this business will fill in all the morning, and enable Mr. Pugsley to reach the Empress hotel in time for the luncheon of the Canadian Club, at which he will be the guest.

In the afternoon the minister will be taken on a visit to the dry dock, the naval yard, Messrs. J. H. Todd's cannery, and the B. C. Marine railway at Esquimalt. This programme will occupy until late in the evening, and the following morning it is understood that Mr. Pugsley will leave for Nanaimo.

Secures Canadian Crusher

Since the city refused to purchase a crusher from the T. L. Smith company, through Beale & Co., of Portland, agents for the first named company, after the order had been signed, because the agent had made representations which were not carried out by his principals, it was found necessary to purchase a machine from another source. The proper style of machine has been secured from the Mussons Limited, Vancouver, which promises speedy delivery of a crusher similar to one already in use here.

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WOMEN'S BUILDING IS COMMENCED

Mrs. J. Dunsmuir Lays Corner Stone at Agricultural Grounds

A representative gathering of Victoria ladies were present yesterday afternoon at the interesting and picturesque ceremony which marked the laying of the corner stone of the new woman's building which is to be erected at the agricultural fair grounds. Situated at the west end of the ground the site of the building yesterday was marked by a sexagonal block of cement into an aperture in which the corner stone was laid by Mrs. James Dunsmuir. Nearby was a large refreshment marquee, where, subsequent to the ceremony, those present were entertained by Mrs. Richards, who was the prime mover in the project for the new woman's building.

A number of Victoria's most prominent citizens were present, and the scene was one of an animated character. Grouped in a semi-circle round the spot where the ceremony took place, the ladies in their many-colored dresses presented a picturesque appearance, the bright sunshine lending additional brilliancy to the scene. Prior to the ceremony, and while those present were enjoying refreshments, the city band discoursed selections of music.

"Well and Truly Laid."

The proceedings were opened by Mayor Hall, who called upon all those ladies present, belonging to the different societies instrumental in raising funds for the construction of the building, to sign their names to the scroll to be buried beneath the corner stone. A large number responded, representing the Daughters of Pity, the King's Daughters, and the Alexandra Club. The scroll, together with a copy of each of the daily papers of Victoria, and a box of coins of different denominations, were then placed in the aperture, and upon them the corner stone was placed by Contractor Macdonald. Mrs. J. Dunsmuir, who was provided with a silver trowel, tapped the stone, and after placing the mortar in position, said:

"Mr Mayor, ladies and gentlemen, I have much pleasure in being here and taking part in a ceremony of this character. Everybody will realise the need of a building of this character, and will congratulate those who worked together with this end in view. I now declare this stone well and truly laid."

Mayor Hall then gave a brief address. He said it was very gratifying to the directors of the agricultural association that work upon this building should have been commenced. When Mrs. Richards interviewed the directors and asked them if such a building was possible, the scheme seemed to the directors to be out of the question. But Mrs. Richards and the other ladies of the city had got to work, and the scheme had grown to fruition. For many years the necessity of such a building had been acknowledged, but had it been left to the directors alone, it would have been impossible of accomplishment. By the time of the provincial fair the building would be completed. Through the ladies, and Mrs. Dunsmuir, who was loved by all, rich and poor, all of whom had worked harmoniously together, the work of commencing construction on the woman's building had been brought to a satisfactory conclusion.

After refreshments had been served those present dispersed.

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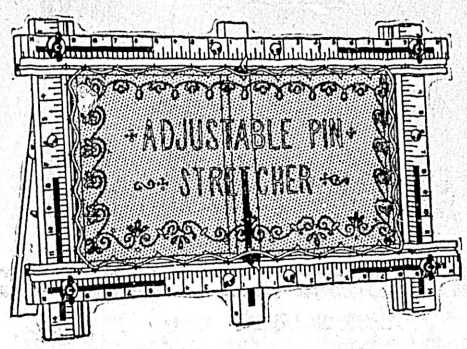

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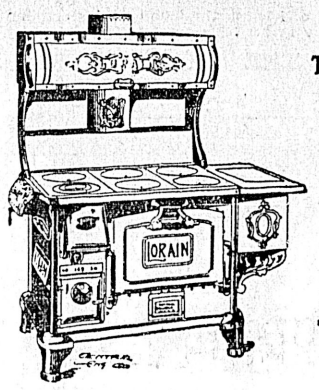

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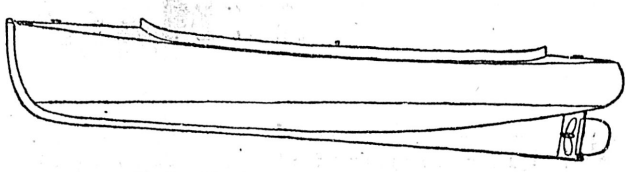

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THE COLONIST HAS ALL THE NEWS

Here and There

We hear so much in these days about the poverty in England that we are apt to look upon the great landlords as a very selfish class, indeed. This is in many cases a great injustice. The profits of the landowners are very far indeed from being as enormous as some people think. It is said that the man who now invests his money in an English estate does not make more than 2 per cent on his money. Yet small as the profits are the life is one enjoyed by the great majority of Englishmen. They love the country and enjoy the social distinction which the possession of an estate gives them.

On the other hand, a great many of the hereditary landlords take a very serious view of their responsibilities. They assist the farmers on their estates with loans of money in order that they may cultivate the land profitably and they pay very great attention to the social needs of their tenants.

Much has been said in the newspapers recently of the work of a Mr. Reittenhouse who was born near Jordan, in Lincoln. As a boy Mr. Reittenhouse came out to Chicago and made a fortune. He returned to his home and set to work to improve the conditions of the district. He built a model town hall and school, laid out an experimental farm, and in many ways showed the people how they could better their condition. This, though, looked upon as wonderful philanthropy in a business man, is the kind of work very common among the best of English landowners. Foreign as the system of landowning in England is to our ideas on this continent, its effects are not by any means all bad.

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There are very few women so plain or so unattractive that on their wedding day they do not excite admiration and call forth the affection of all who know them. In the great majority of cases the girl who is about to enter upon a new life is followed by the best wishes of all who know her. What more natural then that the custom of giving wedding presents should have arisen? And few customs have been productive of greater pleasure both to the giver and the receiver. To take into her new home some token of the love of those who have made childhood and girlhood happy is surely one of the delights of the day when mingled with the greatest joy there must be something of sadness. To be assured that in giving herself into the keeping of the one whom of all in the world she loves best she still retains the affection of those who are only less dear to her is a very precious thing. At such a time it is not always possible for reserved northern people to put into words what their hearts feel and so it has come about that the bride takes into her new home mementoes which shall remind her for years to come of those from whom, perhaps, she has been far separated. How often the sight it may be of some trifle which tells how well some dear friend understood the needs that would arise in the new home has brought to some tired woman's heart a warm glow of pleasure.

It is, too, eminently fitting that the wedding present should give that touch of beauty and daintiness to the new home which women appreciate so much. The chaste ornament, the pretty piece of needlework, the lovely plant or whatever else there may be that the taste and the means and above all, the love of the giver prompts are appropriate. It is just here that some of the modern giving wedding presents is open to criticism. To receive a gift from those who care nothing for us is belittling whether the receiver is a waiter at a hotel table or a bride at the altar. "The gift without the giver is bare," someone has said and nowhere is the saying more true than in the case of the wedding gift.

Not long ago a happy bride showed with a little tremble in her voice as she spoke of it, a quaint old fashioned "housewife," made for her by a dear old friend. It was easy to see that in the years to come this homely gift would be treasured when such more beautiful and costly ones were forgotten.

Another bride, looking round her at the many costly and lovely gifts which friends from far and near had sent, said, with a suspicion of a sigh, "yes I have far more beautiful things for my home than ever my mother had." Yet her parents were wealthy, far more so than the handsome young man whose fortunes she was going to share. Were the friends wise who had furnished her with gifts too valuable to be fitting for the new home and who had prevented these two young people from selecting for themselves some of their household treasures?

On this subject the Boston Herald says some things that are worth thinking about.

"Wedding presents are often given gladly; they are often useful, or a source of pleasure for a lifetime. On the other hand they are often given by many grudingly from a sense of compulsion. When the accumulation is displayed on tables and walls for the guests to gape at; when the silver table equipage, the silver ornaments; the costly remembrances of all sorts from a sumptuously bound first edition to a huge Japanese lantern for the summer home as yet unbuilt; when the gold and silver and precious stones and furniture and pictures and books and silks and fine linen and embroideries and parental checks, certified or uncertified, are all piled together under the eye of a detective, one gushing guest will say to another: "Arabella has everything she can possibly want in housekeeping. I don't see what she will do with all these things."

And therein is the pity! The married lovers have nothing to do with the building or the furnishing of their nest. They do not know the joy of obtaining something useful or beautiful after making little economies, after mutual questioning: "Can we afford to buy it?" The girl who has been surrounded with every luxury, who has had every whim and longing gratified by thoughtless parents, marries one of her kind. Everything has been done for them. They have not been trained to do anything for themselves. Their only problem is one of endeavoring to find a new amusement. The extravagance of the wedding gifts is symbolical of their life, which is first of all to be spectacular. Even when there is less splurge; there is solid assurance of the future, a future in which there will be no joyful surprise. "Sweet is the butter by our own hands churned," said the old homely English rhymester. Too many husbands and wives of the present day do not know the pleasure of anticipation in saving. Too many are ignorant of the happiness that follows the acquisition of some picture, a set of books, some article of furniture, after uncomplaining self-denial."

There is nothing in the world more beautiful than the sight of a man and woman who have lived from youth to age together, and are still lovers. Such a pair were Alfred Tennyson and his wife Emily Selwood, whose romance lasted forty-two years. In the "Book News Monthly," Warwick James Rice tells the sweet story of their lives. He says:

"There is a story, too good not to be true, that he first came upon her ("The not impossible She"), walking in a grove, gray-clad (color favorite with her), and asked: "Are you a dryad or an oread walking here?"

What must he have looked to her, he who talked of oreads and dryads." Six feet high he stood, broad-chested and strong-limbed; his ample forehead crowned with dark, wavy hair, his head finely poised; "his hand the admiration of sculptors, long fingers with square tips, soft as a child's, but of great size and strength." She, the personification of refined delicacy; he, the embodiment of refinement with strength; one finds not even in the ideal union of the Brownings "high contracting principals" more perfectly fitted to answer the demands of a pure romance of the heart.

The course of true love, however, in this case again, ran far from smooth. The engagement was interrupted in 1840, and all correspondence between the two forbidden, for there seemed scant prospect of their ever being married, owing to that unfortunately

Eternal want of pence
Which vexes public men.

But ten years later—in that golden year of 1850—they met once more, while Emily was visiting her cousins, the Rawnleys, at Shiplake on the Thames. On the strength of the soon-to-be-published "In Memoriam" Moxon had promised Tennyson a small yearly royalty, and advanced £300 on account. With this, and their united small savings, the poet of forty-one and his sweetheart of thirty-seven were wedded on the thirteenth of June. It was the quietest ceremony imaginable; the cake and dresses arrived, indeed, but he who was to become laureate before the snow fell, found it, none the less, "the nicest marriage I ever attended."

No rift was to mar the harmony of that lute, "ever widening," to silence all at last. At Twickenham, down in Farringford, on the breezy uplands of rolling Surrey, the duet of their hearts was sung unbroken for forty-two years. It sounds in "Maud," which, after all, but teaches the lesson of love's reforming power, and again in the domestic touches of "Enoch Arden," and all through the poetic dramas, from "Queen Mary" on to "The Promise of May." When Tennyson wrote to Mary Boyle: "I verily believe the better heart of me beats stronger at seventy-four than at eighteen," he but bore witness to the happiness that had come into that great heart through the good woman who then had dwelt therein for more than a generation. Emily Tennyson was the living, pulsing proof of her husband's words: "A good woman is a wondrous creature, cleaving to the right and the good in all change; lovely in her youthful comeliness, lovely all her life long in comeliness of heart."

How those two lived together during their long and happy married life none knew so well as their son Hallam. With an Englishman's reticence he says: "As a son I cannot allow myself full utterance about her whom I loved as perfect mother and 'very woman of woman,'" and goes on to tell us: "It was she who become my father's advisor in literary matters; 'I am proud of her intellect,' he wrote. With her he always discussed what he was working at; she transcribed his poems; to her and to no one else he referred for a final criticism before publishing. She with her 'tender, spiritual nature' (my father's words), and instinctive nobility of thought, was always by his side, a ready, cheerful, courageous, wise, and sympathetic counsellor. It was she who shielded his sensitive spirit from the annoyances and trials of life, answering (for example) the innumerable letters addressed to him from all parts of the world. By her quiet sense of humor, by her selfless devotion, by her faith as clear as the heights of the June-blue heaven,' she helped him also to the utmost in the hours of his depression and of his sorrow."

Peas and Pease

Have you ever wondered when speaking or writing of the vegetable "pease" that sometimes it is spelled one way and at other times another? This is inconvenient, and perhaps, we think, unnecessary, but as it is a rule of our language we must conform until it be changed. A simple way is to remember that when you speak of a definite number of "peas" as "three peas," you spell it as we have there written it. When you wish to speak of the vegetable in bulk as by the bushel you spell it "pease."

Foolscap Paper

Doubtless many little folk who have had occasion to write upon foolscap at school have wondered why this quality of paper is thus called. The watermark gives the explanation, and a watermark, as every one knows is the marker's trademark, visible in the paper when a sheet is held up to the light. The watermark of foolscap is supposed to be a figure of Britannia supporting a cap of liberty on a pole. The assemblance of the cap of liberty to a dunce's cap led to the common use of the name which the brand of paper now bears.

Style of Belgian Crew.

The style of the Belgian crew, which set England topsy-turvy four years ago on the occasion of the first win by any eight from outside of England, has been the subject of much controversy, particularly since they won the trophy again this year. Joe Wright of the Toronto Argonauts probably hits it on the head when he says that the Nautique de Grand eight was one that would likely win with any kind of a style.

The main feature of their work is their tremendous leg drive, but unless they had the men to do the driving doubtless their peculiar style would avail them but little.

The old controversy as to the respective merits of the English style of the short slide and the call upon the backs of the crew to furnish the power, and the Canadian way of a maximum slide and a minimum of back work, seems to have been successfully solved by the Belgians, who have adopted a medium slide throwing the main weight on the leg drive.

TUMOR OF YEARS GROWTH

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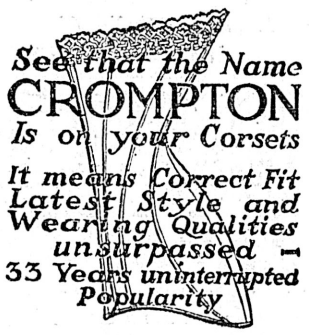

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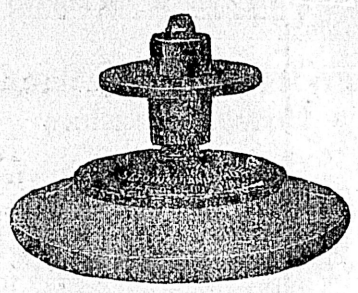

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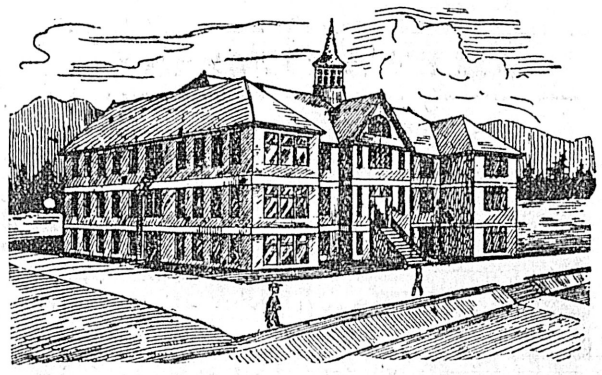

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BIG ATTRACTION FOR LONDON

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London, July 22.—As the Olympic games of London, 1908, was the greatest gathering of amateur athletes ever witnessed, so will the "Professional Olympic Games, London, 1909"—as the promoters propose to call the event—be the greatest assembly, if it goes through, of runners, cyclists, boxers and wrestlers ever brought together for one meeting. It will be a grand carnival of professional sport, and it is to be sincerely hoped that no untoward circumstances will arise to prevent its realization.

An international syndicate of great financial possibilities has made offer to Mr. Imrie Kiralfry of £10,000 as rental of the Stadium for one week during the latter part of August or September.

Programme Arranged

The programme is already practically arranged, and most of the men named therein have actually agreed to the terms offered them for their participation. It will surprise many to learn that two of the events contemplate a return engagement between Frank Gotch and George Hackenschmidt, and a twenty-round contest between Jack Johnson and Stanley Ketchel, who are matched to fight in California in October. There will be a Marathon race, the following being willing to sign: Hayes, Dorando, St. Yves, Svanberg, Longboat, Simpson, Maloney and Cibot. The prize for this alone will be £2,000. A six-days' go-as-you-please race, a week's cycle endurance race, swimming events, tug-of-war, and other field sports. A match will probably be found for Jim Driscoll.

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At Spokane—Portland 4, Spokane 6.
At Vancouver, (11 innings)—

	R.	H.	E.
Tacoma	3	11	5
Vancouver	2	7	3

Pacific Coast League.

At Los Angeles—	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	4	8	2
Vernon	3	6	1
At San Francisco—			
Oakland	1	6	1
San Francisco	2	6	2
At Portland—			
Los Angeles	0	4	1
Portland	1	5	0

National League.

At New York—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	3	5	1
New York	1	4	2
At Boston—			
Pittsburg	9	10	1
Boston	0	4	2

American League.

At Cleveland—	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	0	2	0
New York	1	4	0
At Chicago—			
Chicago	4	8	0
Philadelphia	3	8	0
At St. Louis—			
St. Louis	5	5	0
Washington	1	9	0
At Detroit—			
Detroit	6	8	0
Boston	0	6	1

Eastern League.

At Montreal—	R.	H.	E.
Newark	0	11	1
Montreal	1	7	8

Other eastern league games postponed on account of rain.

NORTH AMERICA Y.M.C.A. CHAMPIONSHIPS TODAY

Over one hundred athletes of every description, from the husky weight-thrower to the sturdy sprinter, will compete at Seattle in the giant Y. M. C. A. for the championships of North America.

This meet is the biggest thing in Y. M. C. A. circles and attracts much attention the world over, as it is staged by the Athletic League of North America. This league is composed of Y. M. C. A.'s the world over and the fleetest and strongest Y. M. C. A. athletes will compete against each other.

Entrants have travelled to Seattle from Philadelphia, Kansas City, New York, Chicago, Vancouver and Tacoma to take part in the events and some fast men have entered.

Today's programme will be made up of most of the handicap races and tomorrow the real championships will be decided from scratch.

SHORT, SNAPPY SPORT

Lacrosse practice at Royal Park this evening, beginning at 6 o'clock.

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The championship Y. M. C. A. track meet at Seattle starts today. Finals tomorrow.

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The J. B. A. A. nine play ball at Duncan tomorrow.

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The Beacon Hill ball tossers will play at Chemainus Sunday.

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Vancouver may drop out of the Northwestern league. Lacrosse instead on the mainland.

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Ketchel was not seriously hurt in the automobile accident the other day.

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Brooke Valo and Harry Beaseley, of the Y. M. C. A., returned today from Winnipeg after competing successfully in the Dominion championships.

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One week from tomorrow the local lacrosse twelve go to Westminster to play the second divison team of the Royal City.

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The Y. M. C. A. Swimming Club hold handicap swims at the Gorge camp every Friday.

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One hundred and fourteen lacrosse teams in the Winnipeg school league. That represents 1,368 actual players, to say nothing of reserves. Think of the players being developed in the prairie city.

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The A. A. U. championship meet, which takes place at Seattle on August 13 and 14, will be the biggest athletic attraction pulled off on the coast in many years. All the champions will be there.

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North Ward nine plays the High school this evening at the North Ward park in the local intermediate baseball series.

SHOTGUN EXPERTS AT TRAP TOURNAMENT

Buffalo, N. Y., July 22.—The Eastern Handicap, the final and chief event of the interstate association's fourth eastern trap shooting tournament, which has been in progress here for the past three days, was won this afternoon by H. E. Smith, an hitherto laurelless amateur from Columbus, Ohio, who broke 98 out of 100 targets at a distance of 18 rounds. Second place was taken by the well-known professional, W. R. Crosby, of Ofallon, Ills., who scored 97 from 21 yards. Second among the amateurs was F. D. Pelletier, of Mount Clemens, Mich., who from 18 yards scored 96. Third amateur was H. I. Hess, of Nanticoke, Pa., the winner of the preliminary handicap yesterday. Today he had to take 21 yards and made only 95 hits. A disconcerting rain and wind troubled many of the contestants who shot during the middle of the afternoon.

The high general averages amateurs were: A. B. Richardson, first at 319 out of a possible 330; J. E. Jennings second, 318; H. I. Hess and W. Henderson tied for third, at 317. The high average professional is W. R. Crosby, at 323.

TENNIS TOURNEY AT VANCOUVER

Tyler and Macrae Win But Miss Ryan and Hopper Lose Mixed Doubles

Vancouver, July 22.—Bright sunshiny weather again greeted the players as the fourth day's play in the Vancouver Lawn Tennis Club's tournament commenced this afternoon. A large crowd of tennis enthusiasts came back again to see the semi-finals, and keen interest was shown in every event. The ladies again served tea and refreshments in the clubhouse.

In the men's singles, Coles, of Vancouver, put Wilbur, of Portland, out of the running, beating him straight sets 6-3, 6-0. B. Rhodes, of Vancouver, beat D. S. Montgomery, of Vancouver, 6-0, 6-0. Joe Tyler, of Spokane, easily beat Car Hilton, of Vancouver, by 6-4, 6-1.

Another surprise was in the mixed doubles, when Coles and Miss Bell, of Vancouver, beat Hopper, of Los Angeles, and Miss Ryan, of California, 7-5, 8-6, and the match proved one of the most exciting of the day.

In the men's doubles, Joe Tyler, of Spokane, and Macrae, of Westminster, beat Burns and Charleson, both of Vancouver, 6-1, 6-0. E. N. Gilliat and A. E. Jukes beat B. Rhodes and J. B. Farquhar, all of Vancouver, 7-5, 5-7, 7-5. This was not expected, as the defeated had put Andrew and Wilbur, of Portland, out very easily.

The Summary.

The following are the day's scores:

Men's singles—Coles, of Vancouver, beat Wilbur, of Portland, 6-3, 6-0.

A. E. Jukes beat J. Burns, both of Vancouver, 6-2, 6-1.

B. Rhodes beat D. S. Montgomery, both of Vancouver, 6-1, 6-3.

E. W. Carr Hilton beat Dickson, both of Vancouver, 6-1, 6-3.

Joe Tyler, of Spokane, beat Carr Hilton, of Vancouver, 6-4, 6-1.

Mixed doubles—Coles and Miss Bell, of Vancouver, beat Mlis Ryan and Mr. Hopper, both of California, 7-5, 8-6.

Andrews, of Portland, and Miss Hotchkiss, of Berkley, Cal., beat E. G. H. Cardinal and Miss Erwin, both of Vancouver, 6-2, 6-1.

E. W. Hamber and Miss Hamber, of Vancouver, beat K. Bryan and Miss Ross, also of Vancouver, 6-2, 6-0.

Macrae, of Westminster, and Mrs. Pearson, of Vancouver, beat Brown and Mrs. Plunkett, also of Vancouver, 6-2, 6-1.

Men's doubles—Garland and Cave beat Griffiths and Manson, all of Vancouver, 6-0, 6-2.

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WESTERN CANADA LEAGUE SHORT OF PATRONAGE

Winnipeg, July 22.—A meeting of the executive committee of the Western Canada Baseball League will be held at Medicine Hat Monday, when important business matters will be discussed. Chief among these will be the discussion of a proposed new schedule of games.

Though the league is yet in pretty good standing, many of the teams have not been getting the backing from the public that they think they deserve, and as the expenses are very high on account of the long trips, it is more than likely that a new schedule will have to be drafted. The trip from Winnipeg as far west as Lethbridge, entails considerable expense.

With a view to lessening the expenses several proposals will be made at the meeting to be held Monday. One of these is that the teams be divided into two divisions, East and West, giving them the same standing as they now have and the winner of each division playing a post series of games at the end of the season for the championship. The western division would be comprised of Edmonton, Calgary, Medicine Hat and Lethbridge while the eastern division would take in Winnipeg, Brandon, Regina and Moose Jaw.

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SIBERIAN EXILES ESCAPED BY RUSE

Landed at Nome by Impersonating Cossacks Sent to Recapture Them

News comes from Nome that twenty escaped Russian convicts from Siberia have made their way into Alaska by a ruse, having impersonated Cossacks. They duped the captains of ships along the shores of Siberia into carrying them to the American side. They told the officers of the ship that they were pursuing a number of convicts who had made their way across the strait.

This story was gleaned from fifteen deported Russians, who were trying to re-enter Alaska at Teller, York and Port Clarence. The convicts were arrested Saturday and informed the authorities that the twenty other fugitives from the Yakuts district, who defeated a company of Cossack's in the battle of March 13 and crossed 1,500 miles of Siberian wastes to East Cape, had impressed the deported Russians upon being landed at East Cape by the steamer Vaarg and compelled them to assist in crossing the strait.

The escaped convicts, impersonated Russian Cossacks pursuing fleeing exiles and in this way induced the natives to give them assistance.

The revenue cutter Thetis has gone north to apprehend the convicts and other deported paupers.

On July 1 the Russian steamer Vaarge arrived here with 300 immigrants from Vladivostock. Half of these were paupers and were ordered deported by Customs Inspector Beegle, who at the same time fined the steamer $1,000. The Vaarge sailed for Siberia July 9, stopping at East Cape to unload the deported Russians. When the paupers were landed they impressed native boats to cross the strait. Capt. Bernard, who was trading at East Cape, witnessed the seizure of the boat and escaped a similar fate by sailing to Nome, where he reported the affair.

It was the seizure of these boats that was engineered by the escaping convicts, told of by the deported Russians apprehended at Teller, York and Port Clarence.

The local officials are awaiting instructions from Washington before taking final action.

There is a chance that a strong soccer team from British Columbia will make a barn-storming tour through California next October. An invitation to organize and put such a team on the road has been received by Will Ellis, of Vancouver, the promoters of the Portola festival in San Francisco being the invitors.

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MAINLANDERS PLAY TOMORROW

Vancouver Expects to Defeat Champions at Lacrosse on Latter's Home Grounds

MORESBY AND CULLIN TO OFFICIATE

Alderman Tom O'Connell's Bill for Refereeing Tecumseh Series Is $250

According to advices received from the Mainland, Victoria may be the scene of one of the scheduled Westminster-Vancouver lacrosse matches before many weeks have elapsed.

It is the intention of the heads of the British Columbia Lacrosse League to try and arrange a match on this side of the water between the two great teams, not as a money-making proposition, but merely to try and arouse the lacrosse interest that prevailed in Victoria a few years ago. If the Mainland people can break even on the venture and defray the actual expenses of bringing the two teams over here, they will be perfectly contented. If final arrangements are made, the game played here will not be simply an exhibition match, but a regular league game, with the world's championship at stake.

Tomorrow, at Westminster, the two bitter Mainland rivals will meet in what is expected to be a hummer right from the first sound of the whistle. Con Jones' twelve will go down to the Royal City determined to win, while the Westminster team, although in a crippled condition, will put up a determined struggle as this home game means an awful lot to them. There are five more games to be played, and if the Terminal City twelve win all of them, the Minto Cup will take a trip to Vancouver; if they win four of the games, both teams will be tied, and an additional series will be played.

The management of the Westminster team is still sore at the former trustees of the Minto Cup for having appointed Ald. Tom O'Connell as one of the referees in the recent Tecumseh-Westminster Minto Cup series.

Mr. O'Connell's bill was received yesterday, calling for $250 in real money; and no wonder the Fraser river folks kick, as this is an enormous amount to pay a referee for a lacrosse match. But when it is considered the distance O'Connel had to travel to act as official, some allowance can be made. After the concluding game at Westminster, the eastern alderman was offered a cheque for $50, which he refused to accept. Now he is after the former trustees of the cup to come through. They claim that the champions must either donate the stipulated amount or the cup will be given to the Tecumseh; this will probably cause the Salmon Bellies to pay the expense account that has been filed.

W. Moresby and W. H. Cullin, the two local men who have been decided upon as officials for tomorrow's game will leave for the Terminal City on tonight's boat.

NORTH WARDS MEET HIGH SCHOOL TONIGHT

This evening at the North Ward grounds, the High School nine will meet the North Ward nine in the local intermediate series. There is quite a lot of talk lately of the North Wards winning out in this series, since the fast Beacon Hill nine were defeated by the Prides on Wednesday evening. If the Wards can get busy and win a few games in succession, they will be able to climb up to the top of the league before the season is over, as there are a great many games to be played yet. The High School nine have been practising right along, and if they should win out in tonight's game they will be tied with the Beacon Hills for first place.

The intermediate league will prove to be very interesting before the balance of the games have been played, as after this evening's game there will be quite a shift in the league.

The teams will line up as follow:

North Ward.	Position.	High School.
Joe Dakers	P.	Scott
Menzies	C.	Pike
Baines	1st	Murphy
Russell	2nd	O'Brien
Harrison	S. s.	Gravelin
Johnson	3rd	Spencer
Brynjolfson	Left	Burrows
Sid Humber	Centre	Steele
Cousins	Right	Jasper

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4758—Alarmed ... 107
4667—Terrago ... 107
4706—Orsidora ... 107
4667—Maternus ... 110
4745—La Petite ... 107
4745—Mr. Hose ... 107

Second Race.

Five furlongs; selling 4-year-olds and up:

4772—Abbey ... 127
4773—Escalante ... 132
4784—Goldena ... *122
4746—Mike Hennessy ... 132
4773—Elba ... 127
4771—Storma ... 127
4708—Gyros ... 129
4773—Auburndale ... 127

Third Race.

Six furlongs; selling 3-year-olds and up:

4772—Lady Quality ... 102
4786—Beautiful and Best ... 112
4786—Marvel P. ... 107
4775—Salnesaw ... 107
4759—Vronsky ... 109
4750—Sophomore ... 107
4763—Cliff Rogers ... 104
4762—Liddington ... 112
4748—Fredonia ... 102
4750—Irish Mail ... 109

Fourth Race.

Six furlongs; selling 3-year-olds and up:

4710—Korosilany ... 109
(4683)—Philistina ... 99
(4722)—Merrill ... 111
4787—Firm Foot ... 111
(4772)—Father Stafford ... 101
4670—Bellsnicker ... 111

Fifth Race.

One and one-sixteenth; selling 4-year-olds and up:

4771—Bay Garter ... 109
4788—Maxtress ... 111
4748—Sir Wesley ... 111
4760—Joe Nealon ... 114
4733—Ozanne ... 113
4733—Flavigny ... 111
4784—Col. Bronston ... 113
4788—Lazell ... 113

Sixth Race.

Four and a half; selling; all ages:

4735—Herives ... *104
4710—Laura Clay ... 112
(4593)—Listowel ... 103
(4732)—May Pink ... 112
(4763)—El Paso ... 106
(4746)—R. H. Flaherty ... 106

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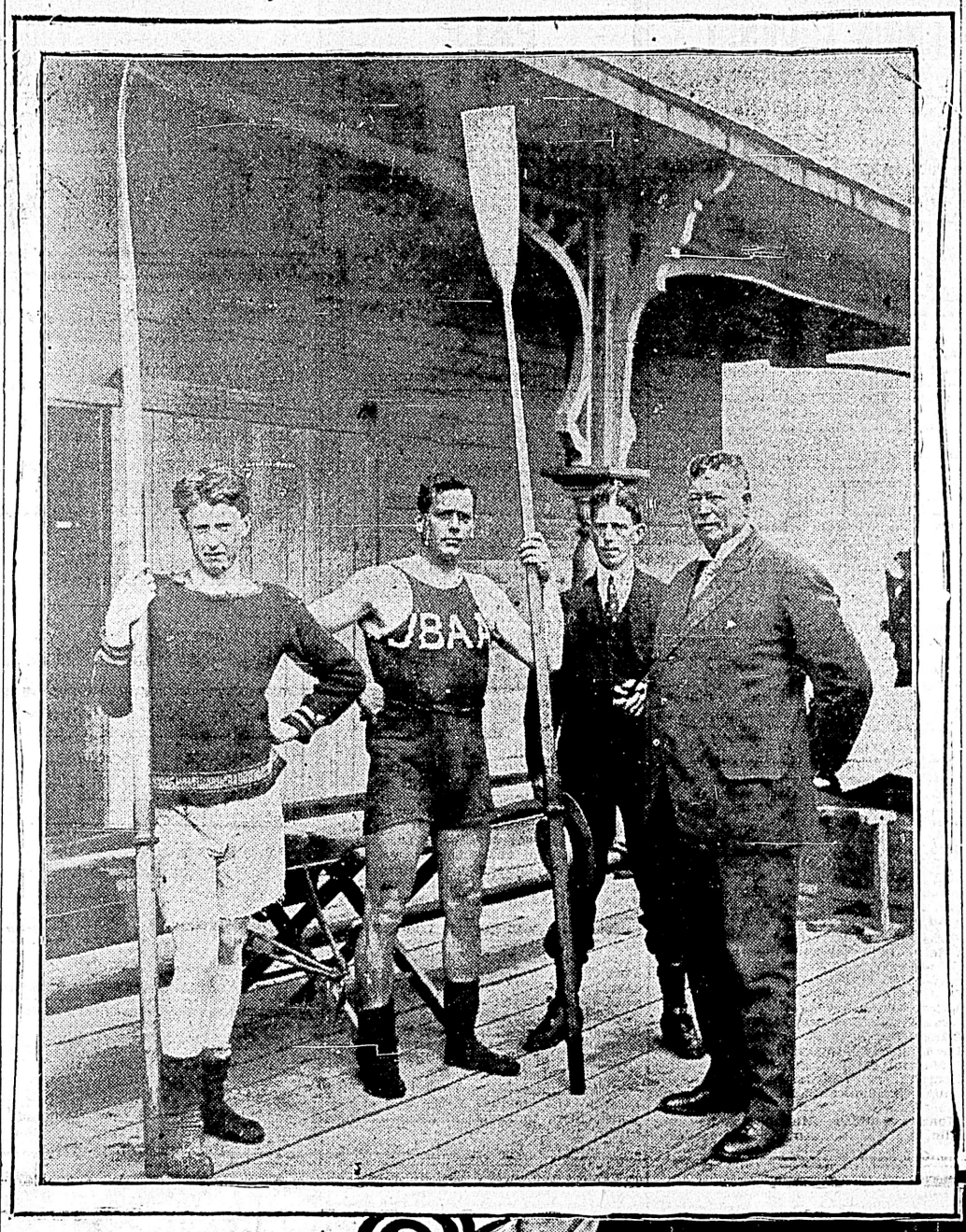

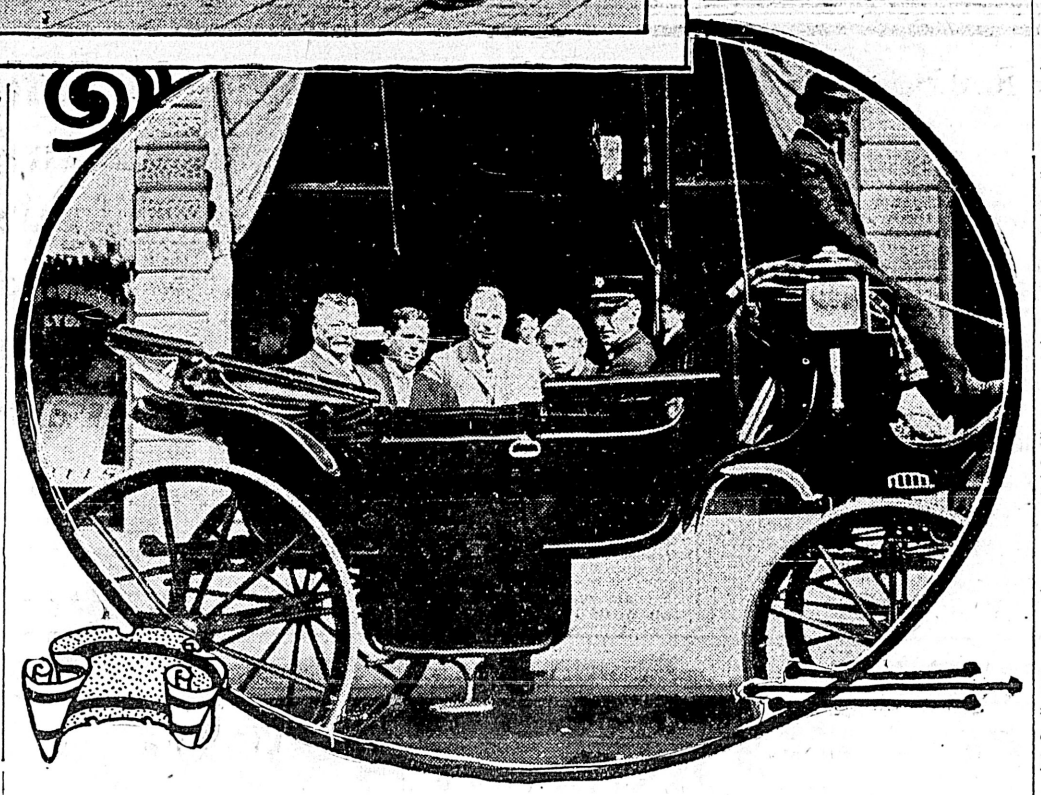

Upper picture, left to right, John F. Scholes, V. K. Gray, Lou Scholes and Wm. Kennedy.

Lower, Fire Chief Davis, John P. Sweeney John Woods, Lou Scholes, John F. Scholes

EASTERN CRITICS PRAISE BEASLEY

Local Boy Deserves Great Credit for Showing Made at Winnipeg

Speaking of Harry Beasley, the local Y. M. C. A. athlete, the Winnipeg Free Press says:

The feature of the boy's events was the performance of H. B. Beasley, of Victoria, who won the 100 yards in 10 2-5 seconds, 220 yards in 24 seconds, 440 yards in 54 seconds and the running broad jump at 18 ft. 4 1-2 in. For a lad of 17 any one of these is a remarkable performance, and when they are all accomplished on the same day it is so much the more creditable. Beasley is a slim youngster, standing 5 ft. 7 in., and weighing only 109 pounds. This is his third season on the running path, and he has already made a big name for himself in his native town, Victoria, where he is looked upon, and with reason, as a coming world-beater. This year he has carried everything before him in the junior events, his best performances being 23 3-5 for 220 yards, 54 seconds for the quarter and 18 ft. 8 in. for the running broad jump. Last year at Westminster fair he ran a mile in 5 minutes 10 seconds, and he has run three miles in 18 minutes 19 seconds. The prizes he has already won include four cups and ten medals, and more silverware is expected to become his property at the Island championships and the British Columbia championships in August.

Beasley has an eye to the future, however, and does not intend to spoil his chances of becoming a senior champion by running himself to death while he is growing. At present he trains only twice a week, and after this season he will rest for a year, taking up the game again after he has passed his nineteenth year. Beasley comes of good athletic stock, his father having been a famous mile runner and walker at Toronto in his day.

VANCOUVER MAY DROP BASEBALL

Gate Receipts Not So Rosy and Nine Is Playing Poor Ball

According to reports the Vancouver professional ball team may be a thing of the past in a very short time. The lacrosse games have been taking the gates in the Terminal City, and the team that won the pennant last season is not putting up the brand of ball that is expected of them.

Eddie Dickson, the boy manager of the Vancouver club, who started the baseball business on a shoe string last year, cleaned up something like $6,000 or so on the season by winning the pennant through the services of the captain, Lou Nordyke, appears to be getting cold feet. The authentic report comes from Spokane that Dickson has offered to sell Capt. Nordyke, Vancouver's best player and one of the best men in the Northwest league, to Spokane, and that he has already got rid of Engle, the star twirler.

This would indicate that Dickson is tired of baseball and that he intends to sell his best players for what money he can get out of them and then throw up the sponge. Dickson has said several times that he is ready to quit at any time, but most people believed he would stick with the fight until the end of the season, at least. Judging from the report from Spokane, he intends to cut down his salary list and go along indifferently from now on.

With his team in the second division and the gate receipts falling off, things are not as rosy for Dickson as last year. But if there ever was a lucky manager it was this same boy manager. Besides drawing the biggest crowds last season, he realized on three of his players. Ham Hyatt and Pat Flanagan were sold to the big leagues for $1,500 each, while Mundorff brought $500 from the Coast league.

J. B. A. A. NINE TO PLAY DUNCAN

Local Ball-tossers Will Go Up the Island Tomorrow Afternoon

Secretary Gray, of the J. B. A. A., received a phone message from Duncan last evening to have the J. B. A. A. baseball nine go up tomorrow afternoon on the 3 o'clock train and play in the evening at that town.

It was at first arranged to have the ball team go up on the morning train and return to Victoria Saturday evening. It will in all probability be arranged to have the boys go up on the afternoon instead as J. Gidley is arranging a swell dance that will be superior to the one arranged when the J. B. A. A. were up a few weeks ago.

Those who will make the trip are McIlmoyle, Gregg, Hughes, Brown, Shanks, Brooker, Winsby, Gray, Heppock, White, and a bunch of rooters.

CLOSE FINISHES MARK RACING

Good Card at Willows Yesterday—To Aid Anti-Tuberculosis Society

La Taranta, the brown gelding, belonging to F. H. Pierce, proved his consistency, when he beat a fairly good field in the fourth race at the Oak Bay track yesterday afternoon, and celebrated his third successive victory at the meeting.

The race which was at seven furlongs was the feature of the card. La Taranta laid in a nice position behind the leaders for the first six furlongs, when Riley let him down, and running over his field the gelding won going away. Firm Foot, away last, gradually worked his way up and outgaming Sam McGibben did just manage to get the place. The owner of La Taranta did not profit much by the victory of his gelding, as he had to protect him to the tune of $200 when bid up by L. W. Sears.

Incentive, which has been knocking at the door for some time found a soft spot in the first race which he took rather cleverly. The Butte gelding jumped into the lead and soon opened up a gap which he maintained throughout, winning in a mild drive by a length and a half. Lord Rossington left the barrier in slow fashion, but he gradually closed up and shaking off Col. Bronston on the last turn got the place with east. Col. Bronston was an easy third. Be Brief had all he could do to beat Lady's Beauty in the second race. The two named raced like a team almost the entire distance with the riders of both booting like demons. Be Brief, however, was somewhat the best, and managed to outstay the Cain mare and get the verdict by a short head. Mr. Bishop, slow to begin, made up a world of ground and took show money. Zick Abrams showed a flash of early speed and then subsided. Footlose had no chance with the ride.

The third race resulted in another close finish, when Medora, Josie S. and Beautiful and Best reached the wire heads apart. Coburn, on Medora, hustled his mount to the front at the start and kept her there all the way. In the last few yards Medora tired perceptibly and Josie S. coming like a whirlwind was gaining on her at every stride. The Schreiber filly got the verdict by a slight margin but in another jump Josie S. would have won. Beautiful and Best was an easy third.

Miller's Daughter took the fifth race rather handily by two open lengths with My Bouquet second and Kelowna third. The latter ran prominently for seven furlongs and then quit. The distance evidently is too long for him.

The closing race went to Napa Nick which beat Chester Krum after a sharp drive. Binocular, the favorite, was third. In his last start Napa Nick was almost left at the post and was interfered with several times. Yesterday he got off in front, and being free from interference had things pretty well his own way until challenged by Chester Krum.

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Although the Country Club has not come to a final decision regarding the matter it is altogether probable that Saturday, July 31 will be set aside for the benefit of a local charity. It is the intention to donate 50 per cent of the receipts of that day to the anti-tuberculosis league. This is a most worthy charity, and should be accorded the support that the local hospitals received on Hospital Day.

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On the evening of Saturday, July 31 a grand ball will be given by the horsemen's wives in the large main building on the fair grounds. Mrs. Charles Sanford of San Francisco, will be in charge of the affair and will be ably assisted by all of the horsemen's wives. Over three hundred invitations will be issued and the event promises to be the biggest social hit of the season.

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On Saturday night, August 7, a grand clam bake and barbecue will be held on the track grounds. This event will be for the horsemen and their friends. Mr. J. C. Dinue will be the chef de cuisine, and Mr. Monroe Johnson will tickle the palates of the guests with some of his justly celebrated broiled chicken stuffed with clams.

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LACROSSE PRACTICE AT ATHLETIC PARK

That the Victoria club will have a rather strong team to go to the Royal City a week from the coming Saturday is evidenced by the way the local players have been turning out to practice.

On Monday evening Captain Stiles had over fifteen of the local pillars of lacrosse on the green at the Royal Athletic, and each and every player was out for some work, in view of the fact that they have all had a good rest. Julian and McArthur, the two newcomers to Victoria, are a welcome addition to the local, and will be in the line-up of the Victoria when they make the trip to the banks of the Fraser.

Another practice will be held this evening as well as on Sunday morning, and next week the local talent will work out on Monday, Wednesday; the committee on play, consisting of Alex Monteith, Skene Lowe and Ab. McDonald will commence to select the team that is to travel after the practice on Wednesday evening.

It is to be hoped that the Victoria stick-wielders will turn out in full force this evening, so as to give the committee-on-play a chance to get a line on the condition of all intending players.

Game Called Off.

The Albion C. C. have received a telegram from Seattle C. C. saying that they will be unable to come over on Saturday, 24th.

Vancouver Tennis.

Vancouver, July 22.—Only two games were played in the lawn tennis tournament for the Mainland British Columbia championships at the Vancouver Club courts this morning. In the singles, L. H. Toole beat B. Rhodes 6-3, 6-4, while in the men's doubles, H. S. Coles and W. M. Griffin won from E. N. Gilliat and A. E. Jukes by a score of 6-2, 6-4.

Alf Shubb will make his appearance on the coast in a very short time.

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Entries are coming in fast for the Vancouver island championships, billed to take place on August 7.

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The North America Y. M. C. A. championships will be started today at Seattle finale tomorrow.

IS ONTARIO THE WHOLE OF CANADA

British Columbia Oarsman Cannot Row at "National" Regatta

Charlie Laing, the Vancouver sculler did not leave for the east last night as expected, to compete in the Canadian Henley regatta at St. Catharines next week, and unless the stewards of the Canadian Association of Amateur Oarsmen experience a change of heart, he will not go. The entry of Laing was wired east by the secretary of the Vancouver Rowing club, but an answer came back yesterday that the entry could not be accepted as the Vancouver club is not a member of the C. A. A. O.

The Vancouver Rowing club is a member of the North Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen, which, though recognized by all the governing amateur bodies, is not affiliated with the eastern rowing association. Though technically the C. A. A. O. is probably right in refusing Laing's entry, the fact that he is in good standing with the amateur unions out this way should be enough to ensure his entry being accepted. The aim of the Canadian Henley is to produce a national regatta, but if the C. A. A. O. persists in such shortsighted methods that idea will be a long time in developing. This is the first time Vancouver has ever had an entry for the eastern regatta and it is a pity that it has ben turned down.

Entries close for the Victoria tennis championship meet on Friday evening with Secretary Talbot. The tourney will be held next week.

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The Canadian Henley regatta will be held on July 30 and 31.

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Bat Nelson will strike Seattle next week. He will spar with Kid Herman at the A.-Y.-P.

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Victoria West juvenile lacrosse team came to the front last evening when they defeated North Ward juveniles by a score of 15 to 3.

THE COLONIST FORM CHART

VICTORIA, B.C., Thursday, July 22, 1909.—41st day. Weather clear. Track fast. F. St. D. Skinner, Presiding Judge. Richard Dwyer, Starter.

4784 FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first $150.

Ind.	Horse—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.
4771	Incentive	106	2	..	1 3½	1 3	1 4	1 1½	Vosper
4749	Lord Rossington	116	1	..	3 2½	3 2	2 2	2 3	Archibald
4695	Col. Bronston	116	6	..	6h	4 2½	3h	3 2	Coburn
4719	Effervescence	114	3	..	2 1½	2½	4 4	4 2	J. King
4606	Pirate Queen	99	4	..	7	6h	5 2	5 3	E. Williams
4760	Goldena	114	7	..	6 1½	5h	6 2½	6 3	Brooks
4749	Alcibiades	109	5	..	4h	7	7	7	Coles

At post 2 minutes. Off at 2:33½. Time—:24 3-5; :50; 1:16 3-5.
Winner b. g. Bute—Doucement. Trained by Jas. Robertson.
Scratched—Prosper.
Start good. Won driving. Second and third easily.
Incentive got away running, and leading all the way, won out in a drive. Rossington had no excuses. Bronston closed well. Effervescence stopped badly. Goldena is of little account.

4785 SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first $150.

Ind.	Horse—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.
4733	Be Brief	108	3	..	1 1	1n	2 4	1½	Brooks
4749	Lady's Beauty	109	1	..	3 1½	2 3	1h	2 1	Archibald
4746	Mr. Bishop	106	6	..	6 3	6 4	5 4	3 1½	Coburn
4747	Othmar	114	5	..	4 5	4 6	4n	4h	McEwen
4747	Zick Abrams	116	4	..	2h	3 1½	3 1½	5 2	W. Powers
4760	Sadie H.	110	2	..	5 2	5h	6 2½	6¾	D. Riley
4630	Footloose	106	7	..	7 2	7 2	7 3	7 2	Prince
4748	Nasmerito	103	8	..	8	8	8	8	J. King

At post ½ minute. Off at 3:01½. Time—:25; :50 2-5; 1:17 2-5.
Winner ch. g. The Commoner—Brief. Trained by F. T. Hinkey.
Start good. Won handily. Second and third same.
Be Brief and Lady's Beauty had the race to themselves, and the former proved the gamer at the end. Bishop ran his race. Abrams dogged it badly. Footloose had no chance with this rider up.

4786 THIRD RACE—Six furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first $150.

Ind.	Horse—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.
4685	Medora	99	4	..	1 2½	1 1½	1 2	1n	Coburn
(4760)	Josie S.	109	7	..	6½	4 1	3½	2ns	Leeds
4750	Beautiful and Best	114	5	..	2½	2 1½	2¾	3 2½	W. Powers
4732	Mechlin	109	2	..	3 1	3 1½	4½	4h	Archibald
4748	Queen Alamo	109	6	..	5¾	5 1	5 2	5 4	McLaughlin
4759	Geo. Kilborn	111	1	..	7	7	7	6 2	J. King
4759	Marvel P.	109	3	..	4 1	6 2½	6n	7	Brooks

At post 1 minute. Off at 3:24. Time—:24 2-5; :49 4-5; 1:16 1-5.
Winner b. f. Bannockburn—Hesperia. Trained by T. E. Crist.
Scratched—Reene W.
Start good. Won in a hard drive of three.
Medora took the track at once, and standing a drive lasted it out gamely. Josie S. lost ground by a wide turn, but closed strong, and was probably best. Beautiful ran his race. He cut Mechlin off last turn, but latter was done at the time.

4787 FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first $150.

Ind.	Horse—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.
(4711)	La Taranta	111	3	3h	3h	3 1	1 2½	1 1½	D. Riley
4722	Firm Foot	111	7	5 4	5 2½	4 2	3 2½	2 3	Coburn
4721	Sam McGibben	111	3	4¾	2½	1h	2½	3 3	Brooks
4762	Traffic	104	1	1h	1 1½	2¾	4 2	4 1½	J. King
(4762)	Redwood II.	111	4	2h	4 1	5½	5 3	5 2½	Archibald
4750	Dr. White	111	5	7	6 2	6 7	6 8	6 6	Leeds
4722	Hilgert	114	6	6h	7	7	7	7	Vosper

At post 2 minutes. Off at 3:48. Time—:24; :49 2-5; 1:15 2-5; 1:28 3-5.
Winner br. g. Taranta—La Amiga. Trained by F. H. Pierce.
Scratched—Sophomore.
Start poor. Won easily. Second and third same.
Winner bid up from $200 to $405 by L. W. Sears. Retained.
La Taranta ran a very clever race, showing good speed and outgaming his field final quarter. Firm Foot ran a smart race. McGibben quit at the end. Traffic cut off a furlong out, but was thoroughly done at the time.

4788 FIFTH RACE—One mile and seventy yards. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first $150.

Ind.	Horse—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.
4723	Miller's Daughter	107	2	4½	2h	1 1½	1 1½	1 2	Archibald
4749	My Bouquet	110	8	8	6h	5 2½	3 2	2½	D. Riley
4771	Kelowna	112	1	1½	1n	2 1½	2½	3½	W. Powers
4694	Lazell	109	7	7 1	8	6 2	6 3	4 3	Matthews
4760	Ornate	102	5	6 3	4½	3½	4½	5¾	Coburn
4760	Black Cloud	104	3	3 1	3 1½	4½	5 2	6 2½	D. McEwen
4723	Rama	108	4	2h	5¾	7½	7 4	7 4	Brooks
4698	Maxtress	107	6	5½	7 1½	8	8	8	McLaughlin

At post 1 minute. Off at 4:14½. Time—:25 2-5; :50 3-5; 1:16 3-5; 1:43 4-5; 1:47 4-5.
Winner b. m. Belvedere—Lindamere. Trained by F. Mailory.
Scratched—Benvolio.
Start good. Won easily. Second and third driving.
Archibald as usual hugged the rail with Miller's Daughter, and getting through nicely, the mare galloped home. My bouquet ran a good game race. Kelowna had no excuses. Lazell ran a fair race. Rama showed early speed.

4789 SIXTH RACE—Five furlongs. Purse. Two-year-olds. Value to first $150.

Ind.	Horse—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin	Jockey.
4734	Napa Nick	109	3	..	3 6	1h	1 2	1¾	Leeds
4658	Chester Krum	108	1	..	1 1	2½	2¾	2 2	Brooks
(4734)	Binocular	113	2	..	2½	3 12	3 12	3 10	Coburn
4745	Triloba	101	5	..	6½	7	4h	4h	Vosper
4706	Fire	106	4	..	5 1½	5 3	5h	5¾	C. Madden
(4680)	Regina Arvi	103	6	..	7	6h	7	6h	J. King
(4745)	Tom O'Malley	107	7	..	4h	4½	6 1½	7	Archibald

*Coupled with Regina Arvi.
At post 3½ minutes. Off at 4:45¼. Time—:24; :49 3-5; 1:02 1-5.
Winner b. c. Solitaire II—Alma Dale. Trained by C. Horning.
Scratched Quality Street.
Start poor. Won driving. Second and third easily.
Napa Nick had considerable weight off and got away better than in last race. He took the lead in backstretch and held field safe all final furlong. Krum ran his race. Binocular trying to give away too much weight, and hung at the end. Others no chance.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. G. Foster left last night on the Charmer on his return to Vancouver.

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Captain Gosse left last night on a visit to Vancouver.

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Miss Wilkinson, with her friend Miss Kitson, left for Vancouver yesterday.

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The Misses Lucas are camping at Cordova Bay.

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Mr. G. H. Ainslie, from South Pender Island is in town.

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Miss Ray Patrick, of Nelson, is in the Capital for a few days.

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Mr. W. L. Locke has gone over to Vancouver for a few days' visit.

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J. Wilson, of the Imperial Bank staff, Nelson, is visiting the coast cities.

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Mr. Beevor Potts, from Nanaimo, is down in the capital on a short visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Wilson, from Twin Falls, are enjoying a visit to town.

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Mr. Alfred Johnson and Roy Clement left on the Princess Royal yesterday to visit the A. Y. P. Exposition.

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Miss Johnson, of Red Deer, Alberta, is visiting Dr. Etta Donovan, of Adelaide street.

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Mrs. J. Harvey, 120 St. Andrew street, will not receive again until the third Wednesday in September.

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Mrs. W. Gleason is entertaining Miss Gladstone, who has come to the coast to spend a holiday.

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Colonel Appleton went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer on a business trip.

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R. M. Palmer, deputy minister of agriculture, left last night on the Charmer on a trip to interior points.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Cowan, from Waco, Texas, are enjoying a trip to Victoria.

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Mr. H. D. Burgworser, from Seattle, spent yesterday in the city on business.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Satini, from Martinez, California, are among the many American visitors to town.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nice, who have been visiting coast friends have returned to their home in Winnipeg.

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Mr. Montgomery of "The Ark" Belleville street, left yesterday for a week's visit to Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. S. St. John, from Weyburn, Saskatchewan, are staying in town for a few days.

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George M. Watt, jr., of Vernon, B. C., arrived on yesterday's boat on a short visit to his parents at Dunelin, Menzies street.

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A. S. Goodeve, M. P. for Kootenay, accompanied by his wife, arrived in the city yesterday from Nelson. They are registered at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Beeber, from Pennsylvania are enjoying a visit in Victoria and are registered at the Empress.

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Mrs. Ridsdale Ellis, from Lefcester, England, is among the many visitors from the old country at present in town, and is staying at the Driard.

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Mrs. Dobson, who was the guest of honor at the Alexandra Club last evening is visiting Mrs. R. S. Day. Mrs. Dobson will be leaving town on Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. S. de Selare, from New York, are among the many visitors from that city at present visiting in Victoria.

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Mr. H. D. Cove, who has been spending some days in town on business returned to his home in the Terminal City last night.

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Mrs. L. M. Wilkins is looking forward to a long visit to her brother, Dr. Fraser, principal of the school for the blind in Halifax, N. S. Mrs. Wilkins will leave early in August.

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Mr. S. G. Footner a well known business man of Vancouver who has been a guest at the King Edward hotel for the past week will return home in a few days.

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Mrs. Christie and her niece, Miss Wellman, of Spokane, who have been making an extended stay with friends in the city, left yesterday on their return home.

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Among the passengers on the Charmer last night for Vancouver were: Miss Weed, J. A. Harvey, F. B. Warren, F. Dykes, A. Walker, Mrs. Barnaby, B. W. Greer, R. Irving.

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Mr. and Mrs. Warren T. Little, of Winnipeg, who have been visiting the Seattle fair and spending the past week in the city with friends, left last night via the C. P. R. on their return to the east.

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Dr. Lena Creswell, Mrs. M. J. Creswell, of San Diego, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Crane and Mr. Ryan, of San Francisco, are amongst the latest Californian visitors at present in town, and intend making an extended visit here.

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On Tuesday evening Mrs. Archer Martin gave a delightful dance at her charming residence. An excellent orchestra was in attendance, and dancing was kept up until the early hours. Mrs. Martin received her guests most becomingly gowned in pink. The decorations of the supper table were carried out in quantities of pale pink sweet pea and trails of smilax. Among the many guests the following were noticed: Miss Muriel Dunsmuir, in pink; Miss Kathleen Dunsmuir, in white; Miss Molineaux, in blue; the Misses Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Luxton, Dr. and Mrs. Herman Robertson (the latter in black over pale grey); Miss Mara, in white; Miss Fitzgibbon, Miss Fanny Devereux, Miss Nellie Newcombe, Mis Flumerfelt, Miss Boucher (Winnipeg), Miss Mackay, Miss Walker, Miss Fanny Drake, Miss Eva Holmes, Miss Nellie Dupont, Miss Davie Laing,, the Misses Irving, the Misses Lawson, the Misses Monteith, Miss Arbuthnot, Major Bennett, Capt. and Mrs. Basil Combe, Capt. Macdonald, Lieut. Eaton and Messrs. Goward, Kirk, Boyce, Combe, Monteith, Twigg, Matterson, Raymur, Fletcher, Studd, Cambie, Bullen, Mason, Payne, Montgomery, Hollyer and many others.

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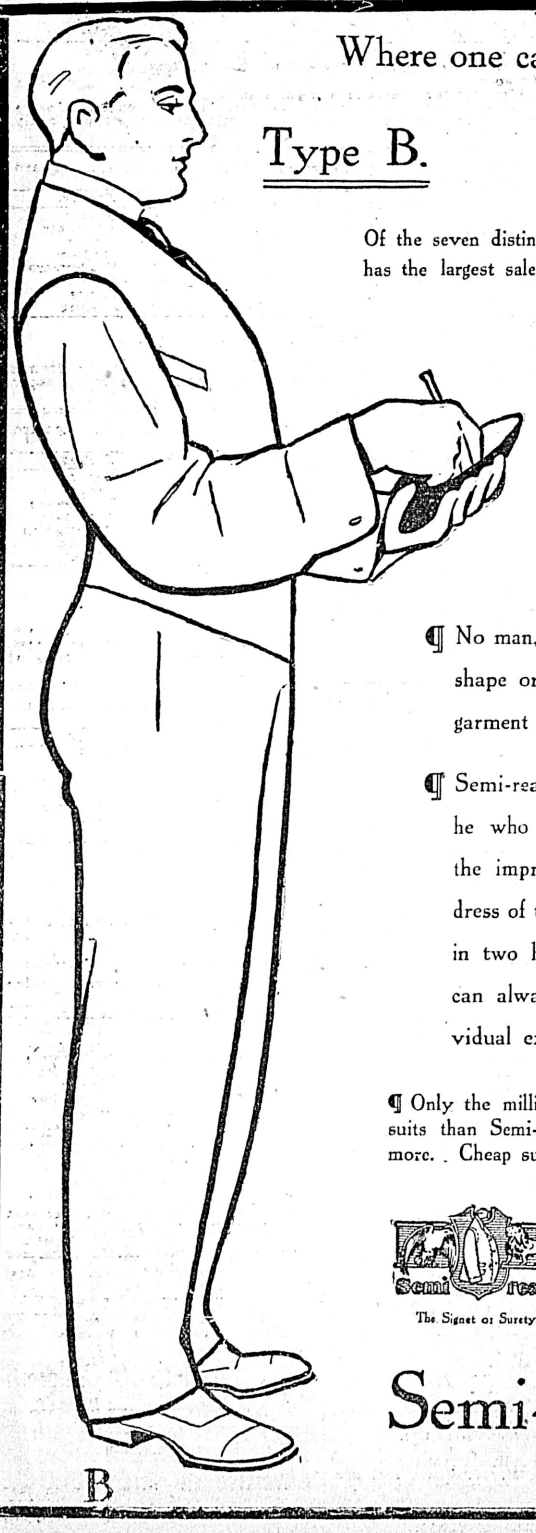

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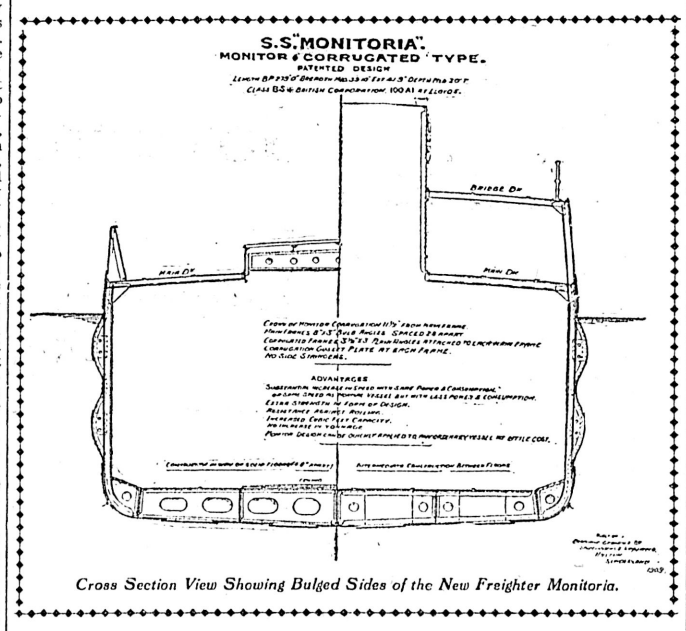
Improvements in ships during the last thirty years have almost exclusively lain in the directions of modifications to the inside of the vessel in order to gain a better disposition of material and strength. In the case of the Monitoria, however, the innovation is connected with the outside underwater body of the ship, and despite which the inventors—the prime mover amongst who is Mr. A. H. Haver, formerly with Messrs. W. Doxford and Sons, Limited, of Sunderland, the patentees of the "turret" type of steamer—claim that these wave-like projections or corrugations will cause a diminution of resistance.

In the new vessel, the usual contour of the vessel is altered. The wav-like swellings lie between the load water line and the bilge, and extend along the vessel to about the turn of the bows and quarters, where they gradually merge into the usual ship's ending.

The designers also claim that these projections will have the effect of steadying the vessel. In their earlier experiments a groove in the side was tried. Very good results were obtained, but from a commercial standpoint a groove placed on the outside of a vessel was better, as it was easier of application, cheaper in practice, whilst there is scarcely any difference in its resulting efficiency upon the undulating stream lines. The evolution developed, therefore, into the two projections fitted on the Monitoria, which add weight to the displacement, the draft being slightly increased, which consequently increased deadweight; but if normal speed is intended, smaller engines can be fitted into the ship, which in its turn means less weight and less coal consumption; so that altogether a smaller ship can be got to do the same work required when these "Monitor" projections are fitted. The form of the projections add considerably to the strength of the vessel laterally, vertically, and locally. The form as adopted in the Monitoria will give nine times more crushing strength against quay walls than the resistance of a flat plate. The form is also of such strong sections that the British Corporation and Lloyd's Registry have both allowed reduced scantlings.

The patent can be applied to old vessels, all that is required being the taking out of three or four strakes of plates and replacing these with corrugated plates of the patentees' plans. The patentees have also arranged that any builder may build vessels of this type on royalty terms. As Messrs. Osbourne and Graham have built a very large number of similar-sized vessels to the Monitoria, but of ordinary form of construction, they will be able to obtain exact data when comparing the speeds of the patent ship on loaded trials with the older type of craft.

Speaking at the launching of the steamer, Mr. Haver, the designer, said that when the idea embodied in that vessel was first suggested to him he gave a strong adverse opinion. He believed with most naval architects that the wetted area was a sure index to the horse-power of a ship. If the former was increased the latter must be increased also. He commenced the trials with a strong prejudice against the idea. The first trial resulted in a saving of eight per cent. in horse-power. A few months later he came to the conclusion that the idea was an improvement. He had no fault to find with sceptics who did not exactly see that it could possibly be an improvement, for he had gone through that phase himself. It had taken him many months to come to the conclusion that his ordinary education in ship resistence was a little deficient. They had in the Monitoria a vessel that would carry a hundred tons more deadweight and have the same speed as a sister ship of the ordinary type on less horse power. The projections at the sides added to the buoyancy of the ship, and had a steadying effect on waves and stream lines passing round her. She would not have a trial trip in the ordinary way, because that was only to test the engines. But she would be tried on several ocean voyages. He anticipated that the improvement—he felt sure they would get—would be on the second or third voyage. There had been several recent improvements in ships by alterations to the interior or top, but that was the first commercial ship that had been altered externally, and was the only ship in which the displacement and speed were increased simultaneously. The projections were not fixed by guesswork; it was just as necessary to get them to suit the ship as to get the length of a pendulum to suit a clock. This build would also give greater strength, which Lloyd's and the British Corporation had recognised in the reduction of scantlings. The Monitoria company was not a shipbuilding or shipowning company, but a company to follow out and develop certain patents.



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Tatoosh, 8 a.m.—Clear, northwest wind. Bar. 29.98, temp. 56, sea smooth. Out, steamer Thordensjold, 7.10 p.m.

Estevan, 8 a.m. — Overcast, calm. Bar. 30.15, temp. 56, sea smooth, no shipping.

Pachena, 8 a.m.—Clear, calm. Bar. 30.03, temp. 56, sea smooth, no shipping.

Point Grey, noon — Clear, hazy, calm. Bar. 30.01, temp. 56, sea smooth, no shipping.

Cape Lazo, noon — Clear, southeast wind. Bar. 29.97, temp. 67, sea smooth, no shipping.

Pachena, noon—Clear, westerly wind. Bar. 30.08, temp. 65, sea smooth, steamer City of Puebla spoke west of Columbia River northbound at 9 a.m.

Tatoosh—Part cloudy, southwest wind. Bar. 29.98, temp. 67, sea smooth, no shipping.

Estevan, noon — Drizzling, west wind. Bar. 30.17, temp. 63, high swell, no shipping.

Cape Lazo, 6 p. m.—Clear, southeast wind. Bar. 30.03, temp. 67, sea smooth, no shipping.

Point Grey, 6 p. m.—Clear, calm, hazy. Bar. 30.03, temp. 69, no shipping.

Tatoosh, 6 p.m.—Clear, northeast wind. Bar. 30.17, temp. 17, sea smooth. Out, steamer Christian Michaelson, at 3:15 p. m.

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INJURIES TO THE SCHOONER ENDEAVOR

Had Two Narrow Escapes From Collision Before She Was Rammed by the Iroquois

According to Capt. McAllep, of the Endeavor, which was in collision yesterday with the steamer Iroquois, the damage to his vessel will reach a figure between $5,000 and $10,000. He says the fog came up unexpectedly and the schooner was surrounded by vessels sounding fog signals. To better guard against collision he had his automatic fog signal sounded at intervals of forty seconds, but notwithstanding he had two narrow escapes from collision before he was struck by the Iroquois. When the collision occurred the man who was operating the fog signal had to jump to save himself from being crushed. The Endeavor will remain at Port Townsend until her damages are fixed by Board of Survey, then she will proceed to Ballard for repairs.

EMPRESS OF CHINA IS EXPECTED

Many Deep Water Liners on Their Way to Outer Wharf From East and South

A number of steamers are on the way to port. The R. M. S. Empress of China is expected to report by wireless at any time on her way in from Hongkong and the usual ports of call in the Far East. The Marama of the Canadian-Australian line is on her way from Honolulu completing her voyage from Australia, and is expected to reach port about Tuesday next. The steamer Georgia of the Canadian-Mexican line is due from Salina Cruz and way ports of Mexico bringing general merchandise from the United Kingdom and Europe by way of the Tehuantapec route. Several vessels are following the Empress liner from the Orient. The steamer Tacoma Maru, of the new service established by the Osaka Shosen kaisha line left Yokohama on Saturday last, and is due on August 2nd at Tacoma without calling at this port. The Oceano, of the Weir line, which is replacing the Gymeric in this service, is also on the way across the Pacific.

DRIFTING WRECKAGE SEEN FROM VICTORIA

Nome Liner Reports Sighting Flotsam in the North Pacific—Probably From Columbia

Drifting spars and wreckage were seen by the steamship Victoria, of the Alaska Steamship Company, on her way to Nome from Seattle recently. The drift was in all probability wreckage from the ill-fated fishing schooner Columbia, which went on the rocks of Unimak Pass this spring. There is a possibility of the drift having come from warmer seas, carried North by the strong currents. There was nothing on the wreckage to identify it. The log of the Victoria shows that July 4, at 5 p.m., she passed close to the pole of a sailing vessel, with the truck attached, standing four or five feet out of the water, in latitude 53.34 north and longitude 158.08 west. The following morning at 9 o'clock, in latitude 54.02 North, longitude 164.07 West, the vessel passed what appeared to be the starboard quarter of a sailing schooner, painted white and apparently in the water for about two monthhs.

HEAVY TRAVEL ON THE FERRY LINERS

Princess Royal Brought 840 Yesterday —Average of 2,000 Arrivals Daily

The steamer Princess Royal brought 840 passengers from Seattle yesterday. This has been the average of travel during the past week, the three-funnel liners carrying 1,000, and once or twice more, travelers on some of their trips. Travel from Seattle and Vancouver is very heavy, the daily average number of visitors being about 2,000 and the tired postoffice clerks have not had as many picture post cards to handle for many months. The hotels, restaurants and shops have also been busier than for some time.

MYSTERY LIKE THAT OF "MARIE CELESTE"

Captain of British Ship Marion Inglis Writes of Finding Derelict Off Peru

Captain Payne, master of the British ship Marion Inglis, in a letter from Chimbote, Peru, tells of a Pacific ocean mystery which suggests the much talked of affair of the Marie Celeste. Capt. Payne says: Off the Peruvian coast we passed a boat with one mast standing. The wind was very light. We backed our after yards and put the port boat over. The second mate and five A.B.'s went and picked her up. Finding no one aboard we brought her to the ship and towed her astern all night. At daylight I went aboard the boat which we picked up the night before, and found her to be the Iturbide, and the number 323 upon her stern, painted white, copper bottomed (sheathed), and apparently about 12 to 15 tons burthen. Papers found on board her were all written in Spanish, and it appears from these that she belonged to a fleet of small vessels trading in the vicinity of La Paz, in the Gulf of California. She was loaded with empty casks. She appeared to have been left in a great hurry as there was both food and water aboard her, also clothes, and the anchor was still there, so that it would not appear that she had broken away from her moorings. The articles of agreement with the crew of four men showed her to have left La Paz shortly after Christmas Day, 1908, and as far as we could make out for a port of the name of Zona. As she was too heavy for us to take aboard, we threw all the casks out of her, and then scuttled her and let her go again.

Secretary Resigns.

A. B. McNeill, secretary of the pilotage authority has resigned.

Tahoma Reported

The revenue cutter Tahoma, on its long cruise to Port Townsend, Wash., arrived at Yokohama on Wednesday. The Tahoma will proceed to the island of Attu, in Dutch Harbor, Alaska, and thence to its station on Puget Sound.

Chinese Photographed

The forty Chinese forming the deck crew of the liner Mongolia were photographed yesterday in pursuance of the newly formed plan of the Pacific Mail Steamship company to prevent the smuggling of their Oriental sailors into the ports of this country. Hereafter an accurate record will be kept of the Chinese, who are alleged to have a way of substituting others in their places, until the business of smuggling Chinese into this port is said to have assumed large proportions.

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FOR SALE—Cheap—1 Monarch Grain Separator, 36x52 in. cylinder; 1 binder, 5 feet cut; 1 12-horse sweep power; 1 chaff cutter. Apply W. Michell, Keatings P. O. j8

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TO RENT—Furnished rooms in new modern house, within half mile from city hall; will furnish room to suit permanent roomer. Box 367, Colonist. j18

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TO LET—Comfortable 5-room house; rent reasonable. Apply 728 Hillside. j21

TO LET—New bungalow, 8 rooms, bathroom and basement, close in. Address A. B., 1043 Pandora St. j21

WANTED—To rent or lease for one year, clean, comfortable and cosy cottage or bungalow, well situated, 5 to 7 rooms, modern conveniences, reasonable rent. Address Box 41144, Evening Post. j20

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FOR SALE—Lot, Douglas St., next to Fire Hall, also lot on Houghton. Address Box 439, Colonist. j22

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RESERVE.

Notice is hereby given that the following lots, situated in Cariboo district, are reserved from alienation under the Land Act, except by pre-emption:—Lots 1,470, 1,216, 1,324, 1,442, 1,461, 1,312, 1,319, 1,329, 1,447, 1,468, 990a 1,314, 1,322, 1,440, 1,459, 1,481, 1,310 1,317, 1,327, 1445, 1,466, 1,475, 1,479 and 1,476.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., May 27th, 1909.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing on lands on the Blackwater and Euchiniko rivers, in Cariboo district, and Rage 4, Coast district, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette of July 2nd, 1908, and bearing date of June 30th, 1908, is cancelled.

ROBERT A. RENWICK.
Deputy Commissioner of Lands,
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B. C., May 1st, 1909.

NOTICE.

"Water Act, 1909."

Applications will be received by the undersigned up to and including Saturday, the fourteenth day of August next, from civil and hydraulic engineers, for the position of Chief Water Commissioner under the above act. Applicants to state briefly qualifications and date when services would be available. Salary, $250 per month.

FRED J. FULTON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands.
Lands Department,
Victoria, B. C., 12th July, 1909.

NOTICE

Fernwood Road, between Gladstone and Grant streets is closed to vehicular traffic until further orders.

C. H. TOPP,
City Engineer.

NOTICE

During my absence from the city Mr. H. W. R. Moore, barrister-at-law, has agreed to take charge of my legal business. All moneys due me should be paid to Mr. Moore who has authority to give valid receipts for the same, and to transact all business.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., July 15, 1909.

GEO. A. MORPHY,
Barrister and Solicitor.

NOTICE

I hereby give notice that I shall not be responsible for any debts contracted by any person in my name from and after the date hereof without my written order.

July 15th, 1909.

GEO. A. MORPHY.

TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Monday, August 2nd, for the buildings, sawmill machinery, tools, horses, logging equipment and timber leases of the Duncans Lumber Company, Limited, situated at Duncans, B. C.

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FOR SALE—A standard-bred driver; 4-year-old; very gentle. Apply F. E. Clarke, Fernwood Market. j20

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FOR SALE—Gentle driving horse and buggy, (American make), and English lady's pigskin saddle. Apply 426 St. Lawrence St. j17

W. A. ANDERSON, West Hadlow, Agassiz, B. C., breeder and importer of pure bred Percherons; prize winning stallions and brood mares for sale. Correspondence and inspection solicited. We guarantee satisfaction. j16

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COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL

STEEL OCCUPIES THE PUBLIC MIND

Question of Increased Dividend Has Its Effect Upon the Stock

New York, July 22.—The principal influence in the stock market today was the growing feeling that speculative hopes of an increase in the dividend on United States steel on next Tuesday are destined to disappointment. That such an expectation has been held, and that buying of the stock has been based on it, is evident. Believers in the stock maintain, however, that the earnings for the past quarter to be shown by next Tuesday's report, and the excellent prospects for a good business will safeguard the market value of the stock. Reports continued to be received of the expansion of the steel industry. It is estimated that while the present blast furnace production of the United States Steel Corporation is short of its capacity its output runs actually to 107 per cent. of the capacity in 1907, the year of the highest previous rate of production.

The stock today was not benefitted by these considerations sufficiently to prevent its decline. The laconic explanation offered by J. P. Morgan on his return to Wall street, that "there were more sellers than buyers of the stock at present," failed to reassure sentiment especially since most of the selling was not so large as it has been at some higher levels of the stock. The price today was allowed to yield to the moderate pressure upon it. In the absence of knowledge of the point at which the centralling support will be reasserted, speculative holders verse their uneasiness by letting go holdings. Two days ago organized support appeared when the price got below 72. Yesterday it was not effectively manifest above 71. Today the stock sagged to below 70.

The market started strong today, largely by reason of bear covering of shorts put out yesterday. The pressure to sell United States steel was an influential factor in turning prices downward. The market had another rally late in the day with renewed covering of shorts. U. P. showed strength, and was helped by news of the improvement of E. H. Harriman's health. A higher price for copper held that group of industries. Aside from the threat of property damage by the Texas storm, the promise of relief for cotton from the drought was favorable to values. There was a trace of uneasiness manifest over reports of flood damage to corn. The shifting of the current of prices through the day was significant of the conflict of influences at work.

Bonds were easy. Total sales par value $3,118,000. United States 3's registered declined 3-4 and fours registered 1-4 per cent. on call.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal. Copper	$83½	82	83½
Am. Car Fdy.	62¾	61¾	62
Am. Cot. Oil	75½	74½	74½
Amer. Ice	41¼	40½	40⅝
Amer. Loco.	62⅞	61¾	62
Amer. Smelt.	95⅛	94	94⅜
Amer. Sugar	..	..	127
Amer. Woolen	35⅞	34½	34½
Anaconda	48½	48	48¼
Atchison	116¾	116⅛	116½
do pfd	105	104⅞	104½
B. and O.	120½	119⅞	120⅛
do pfd	..	..	94¾
B. R. T.	78½	78	78⅛
C. and A.	..	..	68½
C. and G. W.	1⅛	⅞	⅞
do pfd A.	..	..	24½
do pfd B.	4¼	4	4
C. and N. W.	..	..	183
C. M. and S. P.	155⅞	154¾	155⅜
C. F. and I.	44¼	43⅞	43¾
Colo. Southern	56	55½	55½
Con. Gas	140	139	139¼
Corn Products	22⅞	22¾	22¾
D. and R. G.	48⅛	47⅞	47½
Distillers	..	..	37½
Erie	36¾	36⅛	36⅛
do 1s pfd	54½	53¾	53¾
do 2s pfd	44⅛	43⅜	43½
Gen. Elec.	..	..	167
Gt. Nor. Ore ctfs.	75⅜	75	75
Gt. Nor. pfd	150⅞	150	150½
Illinois Cent.	155	154	154
Inter-Met.	15⅛	15	15
do pfd	47⅝	46⅝	47
Iowa Central	29⅜	29	29¼
L. and N.	141¼	140⅞	141½
Mackay	..	..	80½
do pfd	..	..	73½
Soo	144	142¼	143
M. K. and T.	41⅞	41¼	41½
Missouri Pac.	73¼	73	72½
Newhouse	..	..	2
N. Y. Central	135½	134⅝	135¼
O. and W.	54	53	53¾
N. and W.	94	93½	93¾
Northern Pac.	153¼	152⅛	152½
Pacific Mail	31¼	31	30
Pennsyl. Ry.	137¾	137⅛	137¼
Peoples Gas	115¾	115½	115¼
Pressed Steel	46½	45⅝	46¼
Reading	155½	153¾	154½
Rep. Steel	33¼	32	32½
do pfd	108¼	107¼	107¾
Rock Island	36⅝	35⅝	36½
do pfd	74⅞	73¾	74¾
Sloss Steel	83	82⅞	82¾
Southern Pac.	133¾	132½	133¾
Tenn. Copper	37	36¾	37⅛
Texas Pacific	34¾	34	34
Third Ave.	19⅞	18½	19¼
Union Pacific	198¼	197	197¾
U. S. Steel	71⅛	69¾	70⅝
do pfd	126¾	126	126¾
Wabash	21¼	20¾	21⅛
West. Union	72½	72	72
Westinghouse	85	84½	84¼
Wisconsin Cent.	..	..	55½
Southern Ry.	31⅝	31	31⅛

Money on call, 1¾ per cent.
Total sales, 650,000 shares.

GRAIN EXPORTERS IN WAITING GAME

Shippers Hold Off to Await Developments in the Shipping Business Before Chartering

Encouraging reports from the wheat belt have not stimulated chartering in wheat tonnage during the past week. The engagement of one or two sailing ships has been announced, but exporters are rather timid about fixing additional vessels, as they are waiting developments.

There will be a large fleet of ships available when the export season opens and more than 50 vessels have already been chartered for wheat at union rates or better. With ample tonnage to care for the first shipments, exporters are holding off with the expectation that rates may go down, deeming it unwise to load themselves with too many charters before shipping begins.

Several ships are still idle on Puget sound, two or three of them having been here more than a year. It is likley that the handy sized vessels will be taken for grain, but two of them are so large that exporters hesitate in fixing them for grain because of the enormous cargoes they carry and the chances in losing heavily on so large an amount. The coming to this coast of a dozen or more big tramp steamers is aslo responsible for a hesitancy in taking additional tonnage. It is expected that some of these carriers will soon be fixed for fall grain, but thus far none has been closed as far as is known.

The French bark Bayard, at San Francisco, is a late addition to the fleet taken to freight grain from that port to the United Kingdom at union rates. The British bark California has been laid on the berth at San Francisco for Liverpool.

French sailing ships, chartered from this coast, for grain at union rates in the fall, are reported to be accepting record low rates for outward cargoes, several receiving 4s 6d from the continent to this coast, while one has been taken at the record rate of 4s 3d. Because of this, other owners are hesitating in accepting outward charters for their vessels, the French having the advantage of the subsidy paid by their government.

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THE LOCAL MARKETS

Flour.

Royal Household, a bag	$ 2.00
Lake of the Woods, a bag	2.00
Royal Standard, a bag	2.00
Wild Rose, a bag	2.00
Calgary, a bag	2.00
Snowflake, a bag	1.85
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.80
Three Star, per sack	2.00
Moffet's Best, per bag	1.85

Foodstuffs.

Bran, per 100 lbs.	1.70
Shorts, per 100 lbs.	1.80
Middlings, per 100 lbs.	1.90
Oats, per 100 lbs.	2.10
Feed Wheat, per 100 lbs.	2.60
Crushed Oats, per 100 lbs.	2.20
Barley, per 100 lbs.	1.90
Crushed Barley, per 100 lbs.	2.00
Chop Feed, per 100 lbs.	1.50
Whole Corn, per 100 lbs.	2.00
Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs.	2.05
Feed Cornmeal, per 100 lbs.	2.05
Hay, Fraser River, per ton	22.00

Dairy Produce.

Eggs—	
Fresh Island, per dozen	.35
Eastern Eggs, per dozen	.30
Cheese—	
Canadian, per lb.	.20
Neufchatel, each	.10
Cream, local, each	.10
Butter—	
Manitoba, per lb.	.35
Best Dairy	.25 to .30
Victoria Creamery, per lb.	.40
Cowichan Creamery, per lb.	.40
Comox Creamery, per lb.	.40
Chilliwack Creamery, per lb.	.40
Salt Spring Island Creamery, per lb.	.40

Vegetables.

Tomatoes, per lb.	.20
Beans, Wax, per lb.	.20
Beets, per lb.	.05
Carrots, per lb.	.04
Parsley, per bunch	.05
Mint, per bunch	.05
Celery, per head	.20
Cucumbers	.10 to .20
Radishes, per bunch	.05
Potatoes, per sack	2.50
Potatoes, new, 8 lbs.	.25
Cauliflower, each	.20
Cabbage, new, per lb.	.08
Lettuce, a head	.05
Garlic, per lb.	.20
Onions, 8 lbs. for	.25
Sweet Potatoes, 3 lbs.	.25
Rhubarb, 6 lbs.	.25

Fruit.

Lemons, per dozen	.25
Figs, cooking, per lb.	.08 to .10
Apples, Cal., 2 lbs.	.25
Apples, Oregon, per box	3.50
Bananas, per dozen	.35
Figs, table, per lb.	.25
Raisins, Valencia, per lb.	.15
Raisins, table, per lb.	.25 to .60
Pineapples, each	.35 to .50
Grapes, Malaga, per lb.	.25
Strawberries, local, per box	.15
Cherries, per lb.	.08 to 12½
Gooseberries, local, per lb.	.12½
Apricots, Cal., per basket	.40
Plums, Cal., per basket	.40 to .50
Peaches, Cal., 2 lbs.	.25
Nutmeg Melons	.05 to .10
Watermelons, each	.35 to .50
Red Currants, per lb.	.12
Black Currants, per lb.	.12½
Logan Berries, 2 lbs.	.25
Raspberries, 2 lbs.	.25
Blackberries, per lb.	.15

Fish.

Cod, salted, per lb.	.10 to .13
Halibut, fresh, per lb.	.08 to .10
Halibut, smoked, per lb.	.15
Cod, fresh, per lb.	.06 to .08
Smoked Herring	.12½
Crabs, 2 for	.25
Black Bass, per lb.	.06 to .08
Oolichans, salt, per lb.	.12½
Black Cod, salt, per lb.	.12½
Flounders, fresh, per lb.	.08 to .09
Salmon, fresh, white, per lb.	.08 to .10
Salmon, fresh, red, per lb.	.10 to .12
Salmon, smoked, per lb.	.20
Shrimps, per lb.	.25 to .30
Smelts, per lb.	.08 to .10
Herring, kippered, per lb.	.12½
Finnan Haddie, per lb.	.20

Meat and Poultry.

Beef, per lb.	.08 to .18
Mutton, per lb.	.12½ to .20
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.15 to .18
Geese, dressed, per lb.	.18 to .20
Guinea Fowls, each	1.00
Chickens, per lb.	.25 to .30
Chickens, per lb., live weight	.12½ to .15
Ducks, dressed, per lb.	.20 to .25
Hams, per lb.	.18 to .22
Hares, dressed, each	.75
Bacon, per lb.	.22 to .27
Fork, dressed, per lb.	.12½ to .15

POLTALLOCH HAD A ROUGH TRIP

The British ship Poltalloch, which arrived at San Francisco yesterday, 173 days from Antwerp, had a stormy voyage. She sailed from the Belgian port on January 28 and had fine weather until February 8, when northwest gales were encountered. The vessel shipped water continually and her fore and aft decks were awash all day. During the storm two casks of beef, weighing 500 pounds each, were washed overboard, seriously injuring the first mate. On April 15 another northwest gale was encountered. This last storm continued until April 20, when the wind suddenly shifted to southsouthwest, causing the ship to go astern and putting her in a dangerous position. On May 7 Cape Horn was reached. Head winds and calms were encountered throughout the rest of the voyage to San Francisco.

Sons of England

Funeral Notice

The funeral of our late Brother George P. Giles, of Maple Leaf Lodge, Kamloops, will take place Saturday from Hanna's Undertaking Parlors at 2.30 p. m.

All members are requested to attend.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of the late Brother Geo. P. Giles will leave the undertaking parlors of W. J. Hanna at 2.30 p. m. Saturday. All Odd Fellows are requested to attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

(Too Late to Classify)

FOR SALE—Fresh young cow with or without calf. Apply Box 226, City. j23

LAD used to small farm work wants work on cattle or fruit ranch, soon as possible, in or near Victoria. Address George Robertson, care Esquimalt P. O. j23

TRUCKS AND DRAYS—Open day and night. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. f12

GIRL WANTED at the Empress Confectionery, 1325 Government St. Apply at once. j23

WANTED—A first-class carpet man, one with thorough experience, capable of managing and buying; state experience and salary expected. James Stark & Sons, Limited, Vancouver, B. C. j23

TO LET—Furnished, 4-roomed cottage, at once; electric light, bath, hot and cold water, Craigflower Road. Apply 756 Fort St. j23

FOR SALE—Five acres of orchard about 5 years old, fair house, good barn, 1½ miles from car line; price $5,250; cash $1,000; balance easy terms. W. N. Mitchell, over Northern Bank. j23

YOUNG MAN with experience desires office work. Reply Box 76, Duncans, B. C. j23

GLASS FRONT CARRIAGES—Splendid for sight-seeing. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. f12

WANTED—Position, working housekeeper to widower; city preferred. Box 460, Colonist. j23

ADVERTISER would like to hear of opportunity to invest $1,000 in sound enterprise where services would be required. Box 459, Colonist. j23

ACCOUNTANT and office manager; first-class man, eighteen years experience, highest references, will shortly be disengaged. Replies treated confidentially. Box 458, Colonist office. j23

EASY TO ACQUIRE good paying business as going concern; good position. Inquire Box X Y Z, Colonist. j23

FIRST-CLASS general servant wanted. Apply 1023 Fairfield Road. j23

FURNITURE TRUCKS—$1.50 per hour. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. f12

GIRLS WANTED at "The Bon Ami" Ladies' Outfitting store, 734 Yates St., as machinists and apprentices; good wages. j23

GROCERY BUSINESS wanted. Replies confidential. Address A. B., Colonist. j23

TO RENT—Furnished house on Rockland Ave., with large grounds, for 5 to 7 months. Apply Box 466, Colonist. j23

STORE and restaurant, including stock and fixtures, chickens and garden; cheap rent; price $300. 465, Colonist. j23

LIVERY STABLE—Best equipped service in the city. Good horses and buggies. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. f12

WANTED—A good opening for young man of ability and energy to work up to managership of a growing business; must be a stenographer; salary to start $50 per montif. Apply Box 464, Colonist. j23

AGENTS, salesmen and mail order people, and those desirous of improving their financial conditions, join The Mutual Agents League. Send 10 cents and receive the latest and most profitable business propositions, also three months membership certificate, two issues Booster Magazine, 5 per cent discount certificates, Agents Friend and other benefits. Send your little dime at once and get on the right track. Mutual Agents League, 86 Plymouth Place, Chicago, Ill., U. S. A. j23

BAGGAGE—Best Equipment for Handling baggage to and from steamers in the city; open day and night. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. f12

STENGER'S Automatic Traction Engine Coupler is absolutely perfect; sells at sight; good commission to salesmen and dealers; perfect working model, vest pocket size. Address W. J. Stenger, Mohall, N. D., U. S. A. j23

BOARD AND ROOM for one or two men, $6.00 per week; $24.00 per month. 1136 Caledonia Ave. j23

GOOD HOME for little girl or boy; terms $15 monthly. 445, Colonist. j23

WANTED—Experienced stock salesman for first-class financial proposition; salary and commission. Apply N. B. Maysmith & Co., Ltd., Mahon Bldg. j23

CARRIAGES AND HACKS — Careful drivers; prompt service; open day and night. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. f12

WANTED—To know the whereabouts of Thomas Herbert Bell, who left Winnipeg about May, 1899, for Grand Forks, North Dakota, and last heard from five years ago while living on Granville St., Vancouver, B. C.; has blue eyes, slightly curly reddish hair and will be at present thirty years of age; was employed on boats in Vancouver when last heard from. Any one knowing his whereabouts kindly communicate with his brother, Richard H. Bell, care Morning Herald, Fort William, Ont. j23

TO LET—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping, close in, phone, etc. 1903 Quadra St. j23

FOR SALE—$75 cash and $80 every six months will buy good 50-foot lot, near car line, Fairfields; price $395. Owner, Postoffice Box 160, Vancouver. j23

TO LET—Furnished rooms. 810 Douglas St., corner Humboldt. j23

FOR SALE—Seven timber limits, West Coast, 24,461 to 24,467 inclusive, $2.50 per acre cash. Apply Owner, Box 434, Colonist. j22

PARCEL DELIVERY—Parcels called for and delivered to any part of the city for 10c. Victoria Transfer Co. Phone 129. f12

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SICK NURSING.

MRS. WALKER attends patients at their homes or receives them into her private nursing home, maternity, general nursing or massage. 1017 Burdette Ave., Phone L-1400. j23

STENOGRAPHY.

SHORTHAND and typewriting work done, reasonable terms. Public stenographer, Driard Hotel. Phone 29. j23

PERSONAL.

THE PARTY which received a visiting card last Sunday evening while leaving the train from Sidney is most earnestly requested to communicate with the address written on the card. j22

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date, I, the undersigned, intend to apply for the lease of the foreshore opposite lot 46, Victoria district.

J. E. MACRAE.

Vancouver, B. C., 25th June, 1909.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY COMPANY

Alberni Branch.

Proposals For Grading and Bridging.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Monday, September 6th for the grading and bridging of the Alberni branch from the 108th mile to Alberni (27½ miles) according to plans and specifications to be seen on and after August 7, at the office of Mr. Bainbridge, Division Engineer E. & N. Railway, Victoria, and Mr. H. J. Cambie, Chief Engineer, E. & N. Railway, Vancouver.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. MARPOLE, Vice-Pres.

Vancouver, B. C., July 20, 1909.

F. W. STEVENSON & CO.

BROKERS

1114 Government St., 14-16 Mahon Bldg

We offer subject to prior sale or withdrawal.

1000	Lucky Calumet	.09
2000	Portland Canal	.12
1000	Royal Collieries	.28½
1000	Alberta Coal	.08
1500	International Coal	.83½
1000	Amer.-Canadian Oil	.19

PRIVATE WIRES.

NOTICE.

"Water Act, 1909."

Attention is called to section 192 of the "Water Act, 1909," which requires any person to whom any power or authority has been granted, pursuant to the "Rivers and Streams Act," to surrender such authority within one year of the passage of said "Water Act," and receive a license for same thereunder.

FRED J. FULTON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands.
Lands Department,
Victoria, 19th July, 1909.

GREEN & BURDICK BROS.

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MONEY TO LOAN

Agreements of Sale Purchased

918 Government Street

Sheriff's Sale

Pitt & Peterson vs. Vancouver Copper Company, Limited.

Under and by virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia in the above mentioned action I have seized and taken possession of all the goods and chattels of the Vancouver Copper Company, Limited, situated at Mount Sicker, Vancouver Island, consisting of three finely scaled locomotives with ore cars, picks, shovels, steel, etc., furniture and contents of Mount Sicker hotel, also quantity of cord wood, all of which I will offer for sale at public auction at my office, Law Courts, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., on Monday, the 23rd day of August, 1909, at 10:30 a. m. I will also offer for sale at public auction at the same time and place in accordance with the following orders of court, viz., Order of Mr. Justice Irving, dated March 22nd, 1909, Order of Mr. Justice Martin, dated April 14th, 1909, Order of Mr. Justice Irving, dated May 12th, 1909, the following described property belonging to the Vancouver Copper Company, Limited, viz.: Lot 17 "Lenora Mineral Claim and all gold and silver under Lot 35 G "Lenora Mineral Claim, Chemainus District, British Columbia, southwest 33.08 acres of west 40 acres of section 18, range 8, east 60 acres of section 18, range 8, westerly fractional 2.96 acres of west 40 acres of section 19, range 8, east 60 acres of section 19, range 8, easterly 17 acres of section 20, range 8, Somenos District; sections 18, 19 and 20, range 1, sections 19 and 20, range 2 (except the part thereof included in the townsite of Crofton) Comiaken District, an undivided ½ of west ½ of south ½ of section 1, range 10, Chemainus District; blocks 11, 12, 13, 14, block 15, except lots 1 to 10 block 16, except lots 1, 2 and 8 to 12, block 21, except lot 2, block 22, except lots 9 and 10, blocks 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31, except lots 11 and 12, blocks 32, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62 and 63 town of Crofton; that part of section 1, range 11, east of Queen street, except 2.35 acres thereof, and that part thereof conveyed to James Breen by deed dated 23rd November, 1893, Chemainus District, British Columbia, and undivided ½ of blocks 5 to 10, 33 to 39, 40 to 51, 64 to 74, and 17 to 20, except thereout lots 1 to 8 and 10, block 5, lot 9, block 6, lots 4, 8 and 9, block 7, lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 11, block 17, lot 9, block 18, lot 3 to 10 block 19, lot 18 block 20, lots 12 to 15 block 40, lots 10 and 11, block 37 and lot 6 block 38, town of Crofton, British Columbia; 40 acres west of and adjoining section 6, range 1, that part containing 33.40 acres of the 40 acres west of and adjoining section 5, range 1, not covered by the "Nome" mineral claim. That part (containing 67.64 acres) of the 40 acres west of section 4, range 1, not covered by the "Seattle Nome" and Queen Bee mineral claims. Fractional northwest corner of section 5, range 1, containing 76-100 acres, section 6, range 1, except that part thereof covered by the "Baltic" Mineral Claim, section 6, range 2, east 50 acres of section 7, range 1, west 60 acres of section 7, range 2 east 60 acres of section 4, range 4, west 40 acres of section 5, range 4, west 50 acres of section 4, range 5, Chemainus District, British Columbia.

The only registered charges against the above-mentioned property is that in favor of the above-mentioned plaintiff's, Pitt & Peterson, for the sum of $337.17 and $40.50 for costs. Date of registration, March 18th, 1909. Terms of sale cash.

F. G. RICHARDS,
Sheriff, County of Victoria, for Sheriff County of Nanaimo.

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, B. C., May 22nd, 1909.

WANTED

THREE MEN TEACHERS holding 1st Class Certificates, with Normal training, for the Victoria Public Schools. Salary, $80 a month. Applications received up to July 31st.

CITY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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Stocks for Sale

Subject to Prior Sale or Withdrawal

1000	American-Canadian Oil	.13
5000	B. C. Amal. Coal	.05
1000	International Coal	.78
1000	Royal Collieries	.26½
10	Northern Crown Bank	.93
10	Nicola Valley	67.00

WAGHORN, GWYNN & CO.
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LOCAL STOCKS

N. B. MAYSMITH & CO., LTD.
Private Exchange.

July 23, 1909.	Bid.	Asked.
American Canadian Oil.	.10	....
Alberta Canadian Oil	.09	.10½
Alberta Coal and Coke	.05½	.07½
B. C. Amal. Coal	.02	.03
B. C. Permanent Loan	....	132.50
B. C. Pulp and Paper	.60	.90
B. C. Refining Co.	.65	.85
Bakeries Limited	6.50	....
Capital Furniture Co.	....	5.00
Cariboo McKinney	.01	.02
Can. Northwest Oil	.10½	....
Diamond Coal	.50	....
Diamond Vale C. and I.	.08	.10
Int. Coal and Coke	.79	....
Nicola Valley C. and C.	....	67.50
Noota Marble Quarries	....	10.25
Northern Crown Bank	....	90.00
Northern Oil	....	.70
Pacific Loan Co.	....	51.00
Pacific Whaling pfd.	55.00	....
Pacific Whaling com.	....	45.00
Portland Canal Mining	.10½	12
Pacific Tin M. and S. Co	....	1.00
Rambler Cariboo	.10	.12½
Royal Collieries	.24	.27½
S. A. Scrip	....	550.00
Silica Brick	1.15	2.10
Stewart M. and D. Co.	1.50	....
United Wireless unstpd.	....	30.00
Vanc. Briquette Coal	....	.50
Western Coal and Coke	....	3.00
Victoria Transfer	....	....
West. Can Wood P and P	.70	....

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CIVIC NOTICE.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to execute the following works of local improvement, on the undermentioned streets, that is to say,

1. To grade, drain and tar macadamize North Park street from Blanchard avenue to Cook street, and to construct permanent sidewalks on both sides of the street with curbs and gutters; (including moving poles, if necessary.)

2. To tar surface Cook street, between Pandora avenue and Parkington street (including moving poles, if necessary.)

3. To grade, rock surface and drain McKenzie street from Cook street easterly, to the end of said street, and to construct permanent sidewalks on both sides of said street, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance) also the removal of poles if necessary.

4. To grade, drain and rock surface Amphion street, between Oak Bay avenue and Leighton, and to construct permanent sidewalks on both sides thereof, with gutters (including moving poles, if necessary.)

5. To grade and rock surface Hulton street from Oak Bay avenue to Cowan avenue, and to construct permanent sidewalks on both sides thereof (including moving poles if necessary.)

6. To grade and rock surface Cowan avenue, from Hulton street to Davie street, and to construct permanent sidewalks on both sides thereof (including moving poles if necessary.)

7. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the north side of Kingston street from Oswego street to St. Lawrence street (including moving poles if necessary.)

8. To widen Oak Bay avenue on the north side from the westerly line of lot 3, block 1, Fernwood, to Jubilee avenue, and on the south side from Rockland avenue to McGregor avenue, and to expropriate certain real property for the purpose, and to grade the said Oak Bay avenue from McGregor avenue to Fort street, and to construct permanent sidewalks on said Oak Bay avenue on the south side from Verrinder avenue to Foul Bay road, and on the north side from the western boundary of lot 3, block I, Fernwood to Fowl Bay Road (including moving poles if necessary.)

And that each and all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council, in accordance with the provisions of section 4 of the said by-law upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works, and the city reports of the city engineer and city assessor, as aforesaid, having been adopted by the council.

Notice is hereby given that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvements and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvements under such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvements as the Council may by by-law, in that behalf, regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., June 30, 1909.

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Women's and Misses' Cloth Costumes, Regular Values $14.50 up to $90.00, Friday for $5.00, $9.75 and $23.75

Costumes for Misses and Women, $5.00

Reg. $14.50. Friday for

12 MISSSES AND WOMEN'S COSTUMES, in Cream Serge and fancy light striped Panamas, semi-fitting Coats, silk-lined. Skirts, plain circular cut, finished with stitched folds.

Regular $14.50. Friday **$5.00**

Costumes for Misses and Women, $9.75

Reg. $20 to $22.50, for...

10 WOMEN'S AND MISSES' COSTUMES, in French Panamas and Venetians. Colors blue, brown, black and grey, also light stripes. Coats ¾-length, semi-fitting, cutaway, silk-lined, plain tailor finish or braid trimmed. Skirts very full, circular cut.

Regular $20.00 and $22.50. Friday **$9.75**

Women's Cloth Costumes, $23.75

Regular values $45.00 to $90.00, for.....

WOMEN'S HANDSOME CLOTH COSTUMES—This lot includes ALL of our high-class samples in blue, brown, taupe, black, wisteria, and black and white check. The Coats are silk or satin lined, and beautifully tailored, ¾-length, semi-fitting, with cutaway fronts. Satin or button trimmed. Skirts are the new cuts and trimmed to match Coats.

Regular $45.00 to $90.00. Friday, **$23.75**

Misses' Costumes, $2.90

Reg. $3.75 and $4.75, for.....

MISSES' LINEN COSTUMES. Coats and skirts. Coats are hip length and box back with belt at waist line. Skirts are full box pleated, with shoulder straps. Regular $3.75 and $4.75. Friday.....**$2.90**

Extraordinary Values in Ladies' Waists $1.00

Regular values $1.50 to $2.75. Friday for.....

EVERY LADY WILL HAVE an equal chance to have a waist of fascinating style and beauty at a great reduction here Friday. These are made of fine lawns and muslins, beautifully trimmed with Valenciennes lace. The reason for these reductions is that a number have short sleeves. Reg. values were $1.50 to $2.75. Special Friday for... **$1.00**

Ladies' Waists, $1.90

Regular $3.50 up to $5.50. Friday for.....

NO MATTER how exacting your taste may be in regards to waists, you will find just the style you wish in this assortment. Like the rest, owing to a number having three-quarter sleeves, we have decided to clear them out quick. The regular values were $3.50 to $5.50. Friday..**$1.90**

Special From the Candy Department

ONLY A FEW TINS LEFT "PERSIAN SHERBET," cooling, healthful and refreshing. Just the thing for summer camping parties, picnics, etc. Regular 25c. Special Friday, per tin.....**15¢**

SPECIAL CANDY FOR FRIDAY—"DEVILED PEANUT," per lb.....**30¢**

Mem Sabs Tea, for Particular People, for sale near Candy Department. Try Andersen's Chocolate Cream—Pure, Wholesome and Delicious

Three-Piece Suits for Men at Less Than Half Price on Friday

Final Reduction of $8.75 and $10.00 Suits on Friday for Quick Clearance at..... **$4.75**

Men's White Unlaundered Shirts, 75c

Special.....

A SPECIALLY FINE LINE OF MEN'S WHITE UNLAUNDERED SHIRTS are being placed on sale Friday. These are extra well made and of good quality material. Special Friday at.....**75¢**

Men's Shirts Special, 50c

For Friday selling.....

EVERY MAN is afforded a splendid opportunity to procure a good quality Oxford Shirt. These have pleated bosoms in a number of the very latest effects. The sizes are 15, 16 and 16½, which are marked for quick selling Friday at.....**50¢**

THAT THIS DEPARTMENT will be a busy one Friday, goes without saying, as we are placing on sale a number of Men's Three-Piece Suits at prices far below what the manufacturer would sell them for. Our aim has always been not to carry over any stock to another season and for this reason have made a reduction of such a nature as to clear them out quickly. These suits are in sizes from 33 to 42, are made of worsteds, tweeds and flannels, of the very latest styles. The regular prices of these suits were $8.75 and $10.00. For Friday's clearance they are marked at the tremendous reduction of.....**$4.75**

Boys' 3-Piece Suits, $2.75

Regular price $4.50. Friday.....

YOU WILL HAVE to be in attendance early Friday morning in order to take advantage of this offering, as it only includes a limited number. They are made of fancy tweeds, in stripes and broken checks, the sizes ranging from 28 to 33. The regular price was $4.50. Special for Friday's selling at.....**$2.75**

Ladies' Black Silk Waists, $1.75

Regular $3.00 to $3.90. Friday for.....

NO BETTER BARGAINS were ever offered in high quality Silk Waists than what we are offering here Friday. They are made of fine black silk, in plain, pleated and fancy effects, long and three-quarter sleeves. The regular values were $3.00 to $3.90. Special Clearance Price Friday at.....**$1.75**

$4.50 to $5.50 values Friday.....**$2.50**

$6.50 values Friday for.....**$3.50**

Special Prices on Silks, Friday

FANCY CHECK LOUISINE SILKS. Regular 75c. Friday.....**25¢**

LIGHT SHADES IN STRIPED LOUISINE SILKS. Regular 75c. Friday.....**25¢**

LIGHT AND DARK STRIPES AND CHECKS TAMALINE SILKS. Regular 50c and 65c. Friday.....**25¢**

LIGHT AND DARK STRIPES AND CHECKS, JAPANESE WASH SILKS. Regular 35c to 50c. Friday.....**25¢**

JAPANESE TAFFETA, 27 inches wide, mauve, fawn, yellow, royal blue, apple green. Regular 50c. Friday.....**25¢**

Remnant Sale of Wall Papers

Ranging from $2.00 to 5c per Bundle

IN ORDER TO CLEAR OUT all the remnants and oddments of our Wall Paper stock, we have made up bundles comprising enough ceiling, wall and border to do any room in the house. These include some of the very highest quality papers in the very latest designs, made up in bundles ranging in price for Friday's selling at $2.00 down to.....**5¢**

The Greatest Shoe Values Ever Known

Regular Values up to $5.00, Friday, for $1.75

Just think of being able to procure a high grade pair of shoes at such low prices! But, when we started this July Sale, we reduced these down to $2.50, and to show that we do not intend carrying over a single pair, we have made another cut of 75c more, making the price for Friday $1.75. This assortment is principally Oxfords in tans, although you will find a goodly number of Blucher cut shoes; but, for choice, be here early Friday. Regular values up to $5.00 for $1.75.

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